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NEW PRESS ROOM.—Visitors to the Journal office cannot have failed to remark the crowded condition of things. We have been able this week to remedy it somewhat by the removal of our steam boiler to the basement, and our engine and Guernsey press to the first floor. We have an entrance to the press room from the Central House yard, and our friends who wish to see printing can step in there without much trouble. Our facilities for newspaper and other printing, are now superior to any country office within ten miles of Boston, a fact which Woburn people will not be slow to appreciate.

THE GLORIOUS FOURTH.—Our Town Fathers have decided to celebrate next Tuesday, the 4th of July, by the firing of a national salute and the ringing of bells at sunrise, noon and sunset. The boys will probably begin somewhat sooner, and the traditional "night before the fourth," will doubtless be celebrated with due honor, with plaintive tin horns, and overloaded firearms. The Y. M. L. A. go to the beach at Chelsea on that day, as is their custom. During the day it will probably be very quiet in Woburn. We wish all our friends a glorious day.

ASSAULT WITH A KNIFE.—Michael Lynch and Francis Hart had some trouble at James Gallagher's boarding house, near Horn Pond station, about one o'clock Sunday morning, and Lynch made an attack on Hart with a knife, stabbing him in several places. The wounds inflicted were not, however, of a dangerous character. Lynch was arrested, and on Monday was taken before Justice Converse, who placed him under bonds for appearance at the next term of the Superior Court at Lowell, for trial.

MUTATION.—Children are very imitative, so it came about the other day, that a little boy five years old who had seen men in the Town meadow barning brush in heaps, thought he might go and do likewise, which he did, but his uncle, near whom barning was busy, persuaded him not to do so any more.

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COUNTY MATTERS.

Winchester.

FIG-NIC.—The annual Pic-Nic of the children connected with the Infant Department of the Congregational Sunday School, took place on Tuesday afternoon of this week, upon the grounds of W. C. Redfern in this town. A large number were present with many of the parents, and a pleasant social time was enjoyed. Refreshments were liberally provided by the parents and the proprietor of the house and grounds generously gave the free use of the house and grounds for the occasion.

DEATH OF DEACON JOHNSON.—The accident which happened to Deacon N. B. Johnson, of being thrown from his carriage at Woburn last week, caused his death on Wednesday morning of this week in the 70th year of his age. He was one of the oldest residents of the town, has occupied various offices of the town, and was one of the first graduates of the Woburn High School, a member of the Faculty of Mary Institute, at St. Louis, Mo., she being Professor of Mathematics.

FIRE.—Last Friday evening, between eight and nine o'clock, fire was discovered in a shed used for storing tallow, connected with Linnell & Parker's currier's shop. The fire department turned out promptly, and succeeded in saving the main building. The engine-room was destroyed, and the engine considerably damaged. The total loss is estimated at \$2,000; insured. Steamer No. 1, Hook and Ladder No. 1, Engines 3 and 4 of Woburn and No. 2 from Winchester, were present.

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Lexington.

The inhabitants of this town, when it was a parish, as most all the towns in the early history of the State were called, paid a yearly tax for the support of the Lexington Minstrel Fund" so called, Said fund was used for the support of the Gospel, and all denominations were benefited by it. They have enjoyed this to the present day and the fund now amounts to about \$50,000. The Hancock Congregational Society have addressed a communication to the different religious societies praying that they may receive their share of the income. We also at College, one is studying medicine, and seven are at the training school, preparing to teach.

BASE BALL.—A match game of base ball was played on Saturday June 24th between the Atlantic B. B. Club of Woburn and the Hallowell B. B. Club of West Medford on the grounds of the latter. At the close of the fifth inning the score stood 15 to 11 in favor of the Atlantics, when the Hallowell's gave up the game.

DISEASES OF THE EYE AND EAR.—Dr. Bragg, Surgeon "Chelsea Eye and Ear Infirmary," will be in Woburn at the Central House, next week Tuesday and Thursday July 5th and 6th.

The Doctor has an immense practice, and his services are continually sought after for operations and consultations from all portions of the State.

WOODEN.—The friends of Mr. F. M. Smith—whose views of Woburn and other places are always received with pleasure—met at his house on Scott street, last Monday evening, and celebrated the fifth anniversary of his wed-

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YOUNG MEN'S LITERARY ASSOCIATION, meet at their rooms in Lyman Building, on Saturday evening of each week, at 7.30.

INSTITUTE ASSOCIATION, meets at their rooms on Union Street, on Monday evening of each week, at 7.30.

MISRAVET CIRCUS, meet at their rooms in Bank Block every other Thursday in the month at 8 o'clock.

BURBANK ESCAPEE, Post 33, G. A. R., meets in "Burbank Hall," on every Thursday in the week, and the last Saturday in the month, at 7.30.

ROUNDS OF ST. CECILIA, meet at St. Cecilia's Hall on every Monday of month, at 7.30 P. M.

MISRAVET DIVISION, S. of T., meets at Burbank Hall, on every Monday evening of the month at 7.30 P. M.

TRAVELLER ORDER OR HIBERNANTS meet in Burbank Hall on the first and third Tuesday of each month.

WOMEN'S UNION, No. 166, I. O. G. T., meet at 72 Main Street, on Tuesday evening of each month at 7.30 P. M.

NOTICE.

The annual meeting of the Woburn Five Cent Savings Bank will be held in their banking room, 14 Main Street, (No. 1 Wade Block), on Friday, July 14, at 7.30 P. M., for choice of Officers for the ensuing year, and any other business that may come before them.

JAMES N. DOW, Secretary.

Woburn, June 26th, 1871.

A CARD.

The undersigned, having given great trouble to the citizens who principally exert themselves to save our property from fire on the 2nd inst., and especially to Chief Engineer Perham for keeping the stock from injury by water.

LINNELL & PARKER.

Woburn, June 26th, 1871.

Married

In Woburn, June 26th, by the Rev. H. C. Towne, Mr. John Ferguson and Nettie E. Pease, both Woburn.

Thanks for the remembrance.

Died.

In Woburn, June 26th, Horatio S. Weymouth, 20 years, 5 months 25 days.

In Cleveland, O., on Friday, June 23rd, 1871, of old age, Mrs. Frank W. Hinckley, widow of Helen and A. G. Brown, aged 2 mos. and 2 days.

JEWELRY STORE REMOVED!

C. S. DEARING,

The well known and reliable

Watchmaker and Jeweller,

Having removed to the fire

50 MAIN STREET, WOBURN,

(Three doors South of the Post Office)

Keeps this opportunity to thank his customers for past patronage, and to say that he will continue to sell

old and Silver Watches,

Clocks, Jewelry, Spectacles,

AIR JEWELRY, FANCY GOODS,

Silver Ware,

PLATED WARE, &c., &c.,

At less than Boston prices.

CATCHES, CLOCKS, JEWELRY,

SPECTACLES, MUSIC BOXES, &c.,

carried in the best manner, and promptly.

S. — Any article not in stock furnished at short notice.

ALE OF REAL ESTATE

By Assignee of Mortgage.

Pursuant to the Powers of Sale, and for breaches

the conditions contained in these several mortgagess,

dated July 6, 1858, and recorded with the Middlesex County Deeds, Boston, make

known, that at the Office of Frank W. Hinckley,

1871, or the other given by Fred

Ingram to said Frank W. Hinckley, dated May 20,

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Book 111, page 81, and all of which

deeds have been assigned to me, and will be

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EXCURSION TO PLYMOUTH.
MR. EDITOR.—Perhaps some of your numerous readers would like to hear from that Plymouth Excursion, which the same we rise to explain.

As Mr. Perham's name was a sufficient guarantee of a right good time, a highly respectable company of Woburn and neighboring "ites," in search of that commodity, assembled in the Old Colony depot on one of the most delightful of June mornings. Seated comfortably in the cars, we were soon whirling along to our destination. After a very pleasant ride of nearly two hours duration, through a country of ever changing scenery, we rolled into Plymouth's depot. Mr. Perham conducted us first to Pilgrim Hall, a substantial stone building, destitute of architectural ornament. In front of the Hall, enclosed by a dismal looking iron fence, on which are inscribed the names of the Pilgrim fathers, is a very ordinary looking rock, half buried in the earth, supposed to be a fragment of Pilgrim Rock. Having examined this to our satisfaction, we passed into the Hall, where our attention was very pleasantly engaged for three-quarters of an hour in remarking the various curiosities and reliques there collected. Some sat down in Gov. Carver's arm chair, and felt better for it; others peeked into Pilgrim trunks, and all enjoyed themselves. In addition to numerous lesser portraits and pictures of persons and scenes of long ago times, there is a large oil painting, covering a considerable portion of the rear wall. It represents the welcome of the Pilgrims at the landing, by Somersett. In the foreground, most prominent of all, stands sturdy Gov. Carver, as firm as the rock beneath his feet. Near him is the gallant captain of the gallant "eight," impulsive Miles Standish, seriously scrutinizing the faithful old Sagamore, who is extending his simple, earnest welcome to Gov. Carver. Others of the prominent Pilgrims are grouped around, all watching the scene enacting before them.

From the Hall, Mr. Perham guided us to Cemetery Hill, a considerable elevation not far from the Hall. From its summit we obtained a fine view of the town, its harbor and surroundings. Far out in the dim distance we could distinguish a light-house, and the outlines of a fort, situated on an arm of land projecting from the left side of the bay. Extending into the bay from the right side, also, there is a narrow bar of sand. This is nearer the town than the one from the left, and in conjunction with it make a secure and sequestered harbor, protected alike from winds and waves. Recently, the United States expended \$10,000 in repairing the extremity of the nearer of these natural breakwaters. Gradually narrowing the circle of our vision we fell to tell to examining the town from above, and saw it thoroughly wooden, compactly built, and bearing unmistakable evidences of busier days. From the town we turned our attention to the city of the dead, in the midst of which we were standing. On the brow of the hill is the Gov. Bradford monument, an unpretentious obelisk. On the eastern face is the following inscription:

WILLIAM BRADFORD,
of Aystead, Yorkshire, England,
and ALICE BRADFORD,
He was Governor of
PLYMOUTH COLONY
from

1621 to 1633, 1635, 1637, 1639 to 1643, 1647 to 1657.

The opposite face is as follows:

Under the seal of the ashes of
WILLIAM BRADFORD,

A zealous Puritan and sincere Christian: Gov.

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he died, aged 65 years, when

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AT THE SPRING.

To-night, when the feet of the twilight
Follow the day to his tomb,
And while the eve is preparing
Put on her mantle of gloom;
With her hair in a braid,
And hides his head under his wing,
Down at the foot of the mountain,
My Milky will come to the spring.

My Milky is fair as a blossom,
And sometimes she reigns to be shy;
But she's playful as any young kitten,
And she teases me so on the sly.
She knows that I fairly adore her,
And she plays with my heart like a string;
She talks with me like a heart,
To-night I shall tell her my secret.

She'll tell me all that she's been up to,
To-night I shall tell her my secret.

Three times have I waited to tell her,
Three times has she laughed in my face,
And twisted her pretty brown ringlets
With many a rough grimace;

And my little speech of proposal
Would pop from my mind and take wing;

But to-night I shall certainly tell her—
To-night, when she comes to the spring.

I shall wait till she's filled up her pitcher,
And then I'll go down the mountain away;

I shall spring up and catch her and hold her
Till she listens to all I would say.

I expect to get "no" to my question;

But two no's and a "yes" are the same thing;

And I will ask twice; so her answer
Will suit me, I think, at the spring.

Selected.

OVER THE REGISTER.

The snow had been falling all night,
Buried the ground in a great white flakes that
buried the ground in a hard crunching
mass, long before midnight. And then
as though not content with the amount
of work done, had gone on with an unceasing
disappointment upon him, he bowed his head,<

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WOBURN PARK.—The subject of a public park is frequently discussed, and various sites are suggested, but to our mind none possess so many advantages as the lands lying around Horn Pond. The land now bounded by Sturges and Canal streets, is unoccupied by dwellings and we are assured that liberal arrangements could be made with the owner, Mr. E. W. Hudson if the town would lay out and forever maintain a public park there. It possesses a water front of 1000 feet, and the surface is rolling, so that an extended promenade might be obtained in a little space. The trees are of an old growth, giving abundant shade at all hours of the day. No pond in vicinity of Boston possesses so many natural beauties as Horn Pond. With a trifling expense in laying out the walks, the building of arbors and the fixing of seats, this might be made a delightful resort. At present, respectable people, not desiring to trespass, do not enter the grounds, and they are the resort, clandestinely, of lawless persons, whose noise is a disturbance and an annoyance. If the town had the grounds in charge, under efficient police regulations, our citizens would take pleasure in resorting there. The time was, when boats were numerous on the pond; now there is not a sail, and only a few row boats. If the town held the park, permits might be granted to private parties to erect boat houses, and so boating would be encouraged.

A delightful drive way might be constructed along the west side of the pond which would become very popular in a short time. These improvements it will be well for us to prepare for, and to own in this vicinity has a better opportunity east into her lap. Will Woburn accept it?

THE EDITORIAL EXCURSION.—In consequence of the change of route—in consequence of the large number who have signified their intention of participating in the editorial excursion next week, it has been found necessary to change the programme somewhat, and to abandon the visit to Mount Mansfield altogether. When the proprietor of that resort made the general offer did, he suppose the party would be within the limits of his resources. But it has outgrown them, and he finds that he cannot entertain it in a way which will be satisfactory to himself, as he fears, or to the company. That part of the route is therefore abandoned. Instead of going to Mansfield, the party will spend Monday night and until Tuesday afternoon in the beautiful town of St. Albans, and the citizens promise a cordial reception, and every effort to make the stay a pleasant one. Tuesday afternoon the company will go to Montreal—one day earlier than first announced—and get to Newport, Vt., Thursday afternoon. The party will number about four hundred, and it is limited strictly to actual members of the Association and their ladies. Justice to the railroads and others who have so kindly offered to accommodate the party renders the most rigid adherence to this rule absolutely necessary. Owing to this change the expense of the trip will be somewhat increased.

BARNUM'S SHOW.—This great show was in town last Saturday, and exhibited in the afternoon and evening. The whole was arranged in three large tents. The first devoted to the use of the Museum, the second to the Menagerie, and the third to the Circus. In the Museum the wax figures and moving automata demanded their share of attention, but the attraction around which all interest clustered, was Admiral Dot and the little girl, which one might term a descendant from Esau. The Menagerie consisted of animals of rare species, from all parts of the world. The circus was like all others, silly jokes by the clown, daring and comical feats by the acrobats, and some very good riding.

THE FOURTH.—The celebration of the 4th of July in Woburn, was not very extensive. Salutes were fired at sunrise, noon and sunset, and the bells were rung at the same time. The boys warmed up somewhat earlier, and the usual exercises were gone over. Being healthy we slept well, the salutes fired in our honor only causing a temporary hill in our dreams. The flag on the Common was at the peak, so far as our observation went, the day passed gloriously.

ACCIDENT.—Last week Friday, about nine o'clock in the morning, as Mr. W. R. Cutler was driving around the corner of Church Avenue and Bennett st., his horse became obstinate and started off in a furious trot, overturning the buggy, throwing Mr. Cutler out, breaking both bones of the left forearm, and bruising him considerably upon the head and body. The horse fell, but was not seriously injured.

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ABOUT half past twelve the same night a crowd of boys set fire to the hay left by the circus company. This caused the whistles to blow, but at the same time a fire broke out in a small building on E. Jenkins' estate, which has been used as a gardener's lodge. The police again interfered and would not allow the bells to be rung. The light from the fire was sufficient to give the alarm in East Woburn, and an engine came over from that village. The steamer was on hand and played on the fire. Loss \$100; no insurance.

AT half past seven Tuesday evening the wife of G. W. Martin, who lives on Cambridge street, on the Sheld place, went up stairs to put the children to bed, and discovered the house on fire. Calling her husband, they were only able to remove a part of the furniture. The house was entirely destroyed. The cause of the fire is unknown. The house was insured for \$1,400. L. W. Erskine, who boarded with Mr. Martin, lost \$200 in money and his milk accounts. The Steamer, Hook and Ladder and No. 3 were present.

STILL ANOTHER FIRE.—About eight o'clock, Thursday night, an alarm of fire was given, caused by the burning of the tannery occupied by Francis Cummings and Furbush & Cameron. The fire is supposed to have caught near the boiler, and in a few minutes the whole building was in flames. The yard, the books, and a small portion of the stock was saved. Steamer No. 1, Hook and Ladder, No. 1, Nos. 2, 3, 4, of Woburn, and No. 1, of Winchester, were present. The buildings and machinery were erected at a cost of \$10,000, and were insured for \$12,000. There was \$10,000 worth of stock in the place, insured for \$5,000. A dwelling house nearby was scorched, and the occupants removed the furniture, which was considerably damaged. J. B. Sawtelle's barn caught fire from the sparks, but it was not allowed to burn. Furbush & Cameron had \$7000 in stock and tools, on which there was \$3500 insurance. They saved about \$5000 worth of leather.

RAILROAD ACCIDENT.—The following scholars received the Choate Medal last week:—

MARY E. Jeffers, Addie F. Chamberlain, Ida Phillips, Hattie C. Blake, Jenkins P. Carswell, James M. Randall, Emily W. Eaton, Henry W. Johnson, Joseph F. Deloria, Elvira E. Munroe, Julia A. Nichols, Jeanne H. Dyer, Arthur J. Mower, George E. Lull, Suelie E. Tillson, Abbie A. Campbell, Nellie L. Sheehan, Annie M. Neville, Charles S. Brown, Sophia A. Emery, Mary F. Stover, Mary Davis, Alice M. Grammer, Benjamin L. Trull, Fred B. Lells, Elizabeth M. Deloria, Frank B. French, F. E. Osgood, Herbert S. Riley, Herman S. Wilder, Gordon Parker, Anna B. Ellis, Ella F. Reed, Mary E. Gately, John W. Gately, William H. Murphy, Arthur A. Brooks, Florence E. Barrett, Martha N. Sheehan, Laura F. Wilson, Myra Street, Nellie M. Sawtelle, Gertrude B. Fletcher, Eddie A. Russell, Fred S. Robbins, Harriet E. Carter, Edward O. Gilman, Michael Martin, Cornelia F. Wheeler, Sarah E. Buck, Alice T. Downing, Ada G. Erwin, Arthur T. Nichols, Cyrus N. Richardson, Susan E. Woods, Carrie S. Parks.

GOOD SEED.—On Sunday, one of the ladies connected with the circus, concluded to alter a dress, saying she "might as well do it, as think about it all day." So arranging her sewing machine, she was about to commence work when she was arrested by the voice of Elder Campbell, and she gave up work, saying "she hadn't the conscience to work right in the face and eyes of the preacher next door." The Elder had more influence than he thought for, and this incident might be a very effective text.

NEW INCORPORATION.—On Thursday night the Carter Mining and Milling Company was incorporated in Woburn, with a capital stock of \$1,000,000; eighteen thousand shares of \$100 each.

The following officers were elected: President, S. W. Howland; Vice-President, Geo. W. Leithy; Secretary, L. B. Thurman; Treasurer, Charles W. Carter, (formerly of Woburn); Trustees, Alfred Phelps, L. P. Carter, S. W. Howland, Geo. W. Leithy and G. C. Cook.

The company is incorporated for a term of ten years, with the principal office in Salt Lake city. Its object is to develop and work the Carter mine, in Little Cottonwood. —*Salt Lake Herald*, June 17.

THE ALDINE.—According to promise the publishers of the *Aldine* have thus far presented to their patrons, the rarest specimens, from the pencils and gravures of the foremost artists of the world, and while they spare no pains upon the illustrations, the literary matter is equal to the best. The number for July contained, "The Ruins of the Temple of Minerva," at Rome, "Magdalen," "The Koigasse," "Dogs Attacking an Antelope," "The Start and the Return," "Hark!" "Haarstadt Cathedral," "Long Branch Going for the Swells." Among the literary production are the following: "Territorial Development of Austria," "Stiff Formalities of Fashionable Life," "American Watering Places," "True Love Long," &c.

EXTRAORDINARY OFFER.—The enterprising publishers of the *AMERICAN STOCK*, of New York, offer to send the whole twelve numbers for this year, and \$100 worth of books, all for the regular subscription to the *JOURNAL*, which is \$100 a year. All our farmers and stock raisers should take advantage of this liberal offer, as the *JOURNAL* is worth many times that money, besides getting four valuable Manuals devoted to stock raising, the price of which is 25 cents each. Specimen copies of the *JOURNAL* will be sent free to all by applying to the Publishers, N. P. Boyer & Co., Parkersburg, Pa.

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Ordered, that the chief constable is hereby directed to give notice to all the constables that the use of the name "Habes Corpus" or "Liberation" in beverage will be cause for immediate discharge, and that the chief constable is directed to report any violation of this order to this office without delay.

SELECTION.—The July meeting of the Selection occurred on Thursday. The Common Committee were given permission to remove the street lamps from the corners of the Common, and place one on the south-east corner. The High Way Committee were authorized to procure a topographical survey of Main street from Salem to Summer, and along Pleasant to Warren, for the purpose of establishing a grade. The police are instructed to keep from the Common, Public Grounds and Streets, all peddlers, hawkers, auctioneers, organ grinders, &c. The Chief of Police was ordered to have an officer on duty at his headquarters at all times. The Clerk was instructed to prepare sanitary regulations, to be issued by the Board of Health.

JUSTICE CONVERSATION COURT.

R. W. Willey was arrested for an assault on Eliza A. Parsons, but finding nothing against him was discharged. Daniel Kelley, Michael Smith, John Donnelly, John Russell, James McMahon for single drunks, each fined \$50 and costs. Thomas Salmon for keeping liquor in excess was bound over in the sum of \$400. M. Foley and Lester F. Quinby were bound over in the sum of \$400. Lawrence Martin fined \$100 and costs for truancy. Thomas McElroy for an assault on his wife fined \$50 and costs, ordered to recognize in the sum of \$100. James Fitzgerald for the same offence received the same penalty. Frederick Goddard of Lexington, single drunk fined \$30 and costs for non-payment of which he was committed.

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A Dog that Plays Euchre.—On Saturday evening, June 17th, a Hellebore party were sitting in the main cabin of the Providence steamer *Metis*. A disagreeable northerner made it unpleasant to remain on deck. A middle aged, keen eyed sandy-haired man was the most restless in the cabin. He seemed to be somewhat annoyed by the walking backwards and forwards of a dark-haired, fine-looking young man, whose every step was followed and movements watched by a large-sized Spanish poodle that slightly limped from his left fore leg. The sandy-haired man finally accosted the young dog.

"I say, stranger, it's very dull here; can't we get up a game of euchre?"

"I don't care much about playing, sir; but my dog here plays a tolerably fair game. Perhaps he'll try a hand with you."

"No jokes, if you please; I am an old euchre player and very fond of the game. I have played three nights in succession with Gen. Hillier, and beat him two games to his one," said the sandy-haired man, rather sternly.

"I am not joking, sir; I tell you honestly that my dog can play a good game of euchre. I'll warn him up a little and show you what he can do before you play with him."

"Very well, come; the conversation had attracted the attention of the other passengers, and they had gathered around the dog and man."

"Now, gentlemen, please to step back, so as to form a good-sized ring, and we'll show you some specimens of canine sagacity that may astonish you," said the owner of the dog.

"As soon as the ring had been formed, the dog-man shouted:

"Come, sport, give us a walk around on your ear."

Sport immediately raised himself on his fore legs and walked around the circle with his head close to the carpet, his lame leg giving him the appearance of a lame dog.

The man then took a ten-cent stamp, rolled it up into a little newspaper ball, made a dozen other balls of the same size and appearance, mixed them up and threw them on the carpet.

"Now, Sport, pick out the one with the stamp in it."

Sport immediately walked round the paper ball, stopped at them eagerly, and pulled out the one with the stamp.

Sport's master now pulled a pack of cards about the size of ordinary playing cards, from his pocket. Each card had a black letter printed on it. The cards were placed around in a circle, with the letter uppermost.

"Sport, all these gentlemen and ladies please to look from the ring, and I will show you the card I have in my hand," said the master.

Sport walked round the cards until he came in the letter 'P'; this he took in his mouth and laid his side, and then took the letter R and placed beside it, and so on until he had spelled Providence.

"Sport, old fellow, where are you bound for?"

Sport spelled out New York in the manner.

The letter cards were now taken up and a pack of playing cards laid in their place.

"Well, Sport, what do you say to playing a game of euchre with this gentleman?" inquired his master.

Sport didn't appear to be very eager, but hung his head a little, as if tired.

"Sport, there is plenty of time; you never tire until nine, you know. Just look at my watch."

Sport jumped to his master's knees and looked at the watch, which was held before his eyes.

"Now, Sport, tell us the right time to minute."

Sport walked round the cards again and took a spade in his mouth, which he laid on one side of the ring. Then he picked up a seven-spot and laid it a short distance from the nine-spot. He followed this up by placing a tray and ten-spot by the side of the seven. The man then bowed his watch to the spectators. It wanted just twenty minutes of nine.

"Now, you commence the game, sport; I was to see whether you had clear."

Supposing you were playing a game of old sledge with Boss Tweed for charter of a railroad against a million dollars, and the game stood six to six, and it was your deal, what card would you like to turn up?"

Sport walked around the ring and turned up a jack of spades.

"Right, old Sport, your hand is level," said his master, patting the dog firmly.

"Then turning to Gen. Hillier's friend, he said:

"In playing with Sport it will be necessary for you to deal his cards face up, this will give you an advantage. In order to make the game even deal Sport in cards. As far as the trump is concerned, he will pick the hand and draw the side. When Sport passes, he will turn one of his cards over. When he ends you up he will nod his head."

Gen. Hillier's friend agreed to the arrangement, shuffled the cards, dealt Sport in cards and five to himself, turning up the last diamond. Sport passed, and Gen. Hillier's friend turned up. Sport then selected the queen of diamonds and ace and king of hearts. Sport laid with the ace, Gen. Hillier's friend followed suit, and lost the trick. Sport then laid down the queen; Gen. Hillier's friend took it with the bower. The right bower was laid with the queen; Sport laid the right-spot in. "Right, old Sport, the trick, Gen. Hillier's friend laid down the right-spot, Sport taking it with the ten. The dog then showed the king of hearts at Gen. Hillier's friend, who had to hand over the queen of clubs, with the exclamation: "Euchered, as sure as fate by a poodle,"

Two more hands were then played, Sport winning the game.

"Now, said the owner of the dog, "I am all rest, Sport; you have done nobly."

The dog lay down with outstretched and stiffened legs, as if he were dead. His master pulled first one leg and then another, then pushed and shoved him about, but he gave no signs of life. Suddenly sprung out.

"Sport, are you dead, you have been ambling; come here, this is the police!"

Sport was off like a shot for the forward of the cabin.

A reporter who witnessed these wonderful tricks could detect no signals between the dog and his master. Sport appeared to do everything from the working of his own brains. His master's name was H. D. Doolittle, and he stated that he was a drug clerk in Williamsburgh, and had spent three years in educating Sport. Sport is seven years of age.—A. Y. Sun.

ONE OF THE DOCTORS.—Philadelphia turns out a horde of young doctors every year, most of whom are of the same class. One of them settled at Havasu, Ill., and brought out his shingle. The first case he had was a boy who, while shelling popcorn, got a kernel in his wind pipe. The doctor examined the case carefully, looked at the patient's tongue, and then told the father of the boy to build up a hot fire. The boy said that was done, the doctor told them to take a cold bath, and then over the fire until kernel got out, and then to "pop out." The old man went upstairs and got his shotgun, but while he was loading it the doctor escaped. He had a diploma, though, from a Philadelphia college, and said he had cured lots of cases in that way.

The following "sad case" is reorded in the *Titusville Herald*, which it quotes may serve as a warning: "Two well-dressed, well-educationed youths, who distinguished themselves as much as each other, in trying to discover that each had on. It was cloudy, the heat at which they were moving, and the delicate shade of the dry goods worn by each, operated against them, and a sudden kick with all sail set against a stiff breeze fetched them up too short, and they peris died."

SUNDAY SERVICES—TOMORROW.
First CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.—Rev. S. R. Duren, Pastor.
Preaching at 10:30 A. M., and 2:30 P. M., by the Pastor.
Sunday School at 12 M.

Sunday School Concert at 7 P. M.

Episcopal CHURCH.—Rev. H. C. Townley, Pastor.

Preaching at 10:30 A. M., and at 2:30 P. M.

Sunday School Gown, etc. at 7 P. M.

Methodist EPISCOPAL CHURCH.—Rev. C. L. Eastman, Pastor.

Preaching at 10:30 A. M. and 2:30 P. M., by the Pastor.

Sunday School at 12 M.

Prayer meeting at 7 P. M.

North CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.—Rev. Leander Thompson, Pastor.

Preaching at 10:30 A. M., by the Pastor.

Sunday School at 12 M.

Prayer meeting at 7 P. M.

St. CHARLES CATHOLIC CHURCH.—Rev. John Quincy, Priest.

Preaching at 10:30 A. M., second mass, and sermon at 10:30 A. M.

Sunday School at 2 P. M. Vespers and benediction at 3:15 P. M.

CHRIST CHURCH, EPISCOPAL.—Rev. C. A. Rand.

Morning Prayer and Sermon at 10:30 A. M.

Evening Prayer at 7 P. M.

St. JEROME'S CHURCH.—No Pastor.

Services at 10:30 A. M., conducted by a layman.

Sabbath School at 12 M.

SOCIETY DIRECTORY.

Mr. HORNE LOUKE, F. & A. M., meets in "Madison Hall," Bank Building, on the first Wednesday evening of each month.

WOMEN'S FEDERAL AGRICULTURAL MEETINGS in "Madison Hall," Bank Building, on the fourth Wednesday evening of every month.

WOMEN'S MUSEUM ASSOCIATION, meet at their room in Lyman Building, on Saturday evening of each week at 7:30 P. M.

INDUSTRIAL ASSOCIATION,—No Pastor.

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John L. Parker, Editor and Proprietor.

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BOTH SIDES.

If one were to read in the daily or weekly newspapers nothing but the chronicles of crime, they would judge, and that rightly, that the people of the present day were going to the bad. But let them turn from this entirely, and read nothing unless of a high moral character, and the opposite would be the result. Here, then, two classes of individuals living at the same time, who, if called upon to report the condition of the country, would tell two very different stories. Now it is necessary in order to form a clear, candid judgment to look on both sides. This is a simple and oft-repeated maxim, yet simple and common as it is, may ignore it. In politics, religion and criticism this one-sided disposition is discernible. If Mr. A. or Mr. B. chance to assert a novel idea in regard to political economy or the introduction of some new article of creed, many without thought, having heard but one side of the question, will flock to their standards, and the results in most instances are that they have made a gross mistake.

In criticism it is differently manifested. Some critics very gravely inform the public that such a book or magazine is not worth the reading; perhaps they have read the title page.

They are not our able critics, men of common sense and education, but the flippant ink-slingers (for they are worthy of no better name), who write not from any motive of principle, but for the money which their trash will demand. Let trouble spring up in any organization and the root of the discord is generally a failure on the part of some to carefully examine both sides of the dispute.

Illustrations of this evil are enacted before us every day, and the only remedy is, for all with one determination to be sure that they know of what they affirm. Then much contention would be avoided, and every person the wiser and better for it.

THE ILLUSTRATED CHRISTIAN WEEKLY for July 15th contains a variety of interesting matter, among which are the following illustrated articles: Egyptian Nile Boats; Lake George; Life in the Coal Mines; The Tree-Chapel of Alonville.

The paper enters, with this number, upon the second quarter of its existence, and the publishers, in order that they may better introduce it to their friends, offer to send it to any new subscriber, from the present date to the first of January, for seventy-five cents; a rate which, it is believed, renders it the cheapest illustrated paper in the country. The paper is enriched by articles from Drs. Adams, Skinner, Schaff, Budington, Cuyler, and Rankin; Professor Baird, J. S. C. Abbott, Dr. Hall, and others. Darling, Hart, Gifford, Rosister, and Chapman have contributed to the art department.

While the paper has never lost sight of its Christian aim, it has illustrated the breadth of the Christian religion by the range of its topics.

LARCENY.—On the Fourth of July Mrs. Cornelius Bacon, alias Emma Foster, of this town, broke and entered the house of F. W. Bosworth, taking therefrom a new dress belonging to Mrs. B. On Wednesday Mr. Bosworth returned home and found a light in one of the windows broken. Suspecting all was not right he searched the house but without discovering the loss. When his wife returned home she missed the dress at once. It appears that the Bacon woman had asked Mr. Bosworth's children the day previous to the fourth, if all the family were going away on the following day. Officer Day was informed of this and after a few investigations arrested her. She confessed the crime and was committed to jail to await trial before the October term of the Superior Court.

SERIO-COMIC ATTEMPT AT ASSASSINATION.—If such a thing can partake of the ludicrous, the following certainly does. Last Tuesday afternoon, two young and choice spirits, having had full enough to do with spirits, became angry over some trivial thing, whereupon one drew an old rusty revolver that had been a stranger to powder and ball for years, and chased the other down the street into one of the stores. One of the clerks, thinking it serious business, seized the revolver, when the denouement of the fact was revealed.

PICNIC.—The members of the Unitarian and Episcopal Sunday Schools held their annual picnic at Echo Grove, West Lynn, last Wednesday. About two hundred assembled at the station at half-past eight, took their departure from town in the cars, and about fifty drove down in carriages. Although the weather looked rather unpropitious in the morning, it cleared away before noon and all spent a most delightful day. Brown's Band enlivened the occasion with music.

NEW COUNTING ROOM.—Among the improvements we have lately been making is the enlargement of our counting room. The enlargement of our counting room is the only addition to our office, which has hitherto urged against calling at the office is now obviated, as the counting room is entirely separate from the workshop. We shall be happy, however, to show any one over our office if they so desire it.

ASSAULT.—George W. Pierce, formerly of this town, was before the Police Court of Lynn last Tuesday for an assault on his wife. Domestic infidelity was the cause.

MORE LIGHT.—A new lamp post is about to be placed at the foot of Court street, where one has been needed for some time.

Woburn Lodge.—I. O. of G. T. took an excursion to Revere Beach last Thursday.

Dr. Hutchings.—Dr. Hutchings has made a one addition to his house, which he will use as an office.

HIGH SCHOOL.—The following pupils have passed examination, and will enter the High School at the beginning of the next school year:

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SIC TRANSIT GLORIA MUNDI.

Under the above title the Old Colony Sentinel, of July 7th, published at Plymouth, thus replies to a correspondent of the Journal, whose report of an "Excursion to Plymouth" appeared in our issue of July 1st:

"A few days ago we were under the pleasing delusion that the town we lived in, commonly known as Plymouth, was quite a place for its size, and in common with the rest of the citizens, abounded under the delusion that the town was in summer time rather of a pleasant town. We had somehow contracted the idea that some of its views were not quite as appealing as a Greenland landscape in a snow storm, we had judged from the number of summer visitors that yearly make their headquarters, that numbers of them were not to be found in the sun east over their understanding. We also inclined to the belief that we did some manufacturing. We had noticed at times passing through our streets laden with the products of home industry, and we had even supposed that the enlarging of the freight depot was necessitated by a want of accommodation. We had, however, a few days ago, been told that the steamship St. Peter, (when finished), and possibly St. Peters at Rome, might surpass our public buildings in architectural beauty, but we had supposed that some of our churches were not absolutely hideous. We had heard of the Baptist church for instance being藻饰ed to, probably by fellow sufferers under the same mental delusion, as rather than the one we had, but had the idea fixed in our minds that the stream that takes its rise from Rillington Sea, so called, and that is crowded to its utmost capacity with manufacturers, might be supposed to produce something in the course of a year in the way of manufacturing products."

"We had been deluded into the belief that there was a well-known port, and that one wharves only loaded in summer time, having heard but one side of the question, we followed the steamship St. Peter, (when finished), and that is crowded to its utmost capacity with manufacturers, might be supposed to produce something in the course of a year in the way of manufacturing products."

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THE EDITORIAL EXCURSION.

[The account of Monday's travel was printed last week, but for the sake of having a complete account of the trip in one paper, we re-insert it.]

On Monday of last week, the editors and publishers of Maine, New Hampshire and Massachusetts, started upon a grand excursion to Montreal. The delegation from Maine with white badges came to Boston on Saturday, and were provided for over Sunday by the hospitable landlords of the city of notions. At 8 o'clock Monday morning, a train of nine cars gaily decorated within and without, by Col. Beals, started from the Lowell depot. The day was very fine; the company of editors and their wives with feelings like schoolboys on a holiday, were ready to be pleased with every thing; the railroad men were ready to please them; and so the excursion commenced under very favorable auspices.

The train ran express to Lowell, where allusions were made to the party. At Nashua we began to see the red badges of the New Hampshire men, and all along the route until we arrived, at two o'clock, at White River Junction, were we reinforced by the Granite State editors. At the junction a bountiful dinner was spread in the junction house, which was soon disposed of, and at 3 we took the cars on the Vermont Central and struck boldly into Vermont. This was an unexplored region to us, and new wonders were unfolded at every curve. When we crossed the Connecticut, we struck upon the White River, which we followed for a distance of 50 miles. This stream derives its name from the purity of its water, revealing the white pebbles which form its bed. From White River we pass to Woodstock and West Hartford, and then to Sharon, the birthplace of Joe Smith, the first Mormon. Royalton and Bethel are pretty towns, and Randolph seems very lively. At Roxbury there is a watch factory, and a quarry of verdant marble. This is the highest point on the route, being 1000 feet above the sea, and from here the road begins to descend toward Lake Champlain.

At Northfield we saw the Vermont Military Institute, and some of the cadets were at the depot. At Montpelier Junction the officers of the Vermont Association, with green badges, joined us. At Middlesex we entered the valley of the Winooski, or, as the Vermonters call it, the Onion river. At Waterbury, the next stopping place, we discovered that the engineer had put a flag on his engine with this motto:

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At Waterbury it was originally intended to leave the cars, and go to Stow, and thence up Mount Mansfield, but the party was so large that the landlord was obliged to warn us off. With longing eyes we looked at the distant mountains while our engine was being fed, and then dashed on to St. Albans. At Richmond we had a distant view of Mr. Murray's rocky farm, known as the Adironacks. At Georgia we obtained our first glance of Lake Champlain.

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At St. Albans we bade adieu to our engine, the B. P. Cheney, and its motto. Here we met the Montreal train, and saw British soldiers for the first time. They had been to Montreal for what we could call a muster, and the camp having broken up they were returning home. The hucksters who thronged around to sell their wares, met with great disappointment when they discovered we had only U. S. money, which they wouldn't take. Some of the boys on the train, however, drove good bargains at about one hundred per cent, advance for script.

Continuing on our way we reached the famous Victoria Bridge across the St. Lawrence, about 6 o'clock. It took us six minutes to cross it. The bridge is said to be over two miles long. We had seen so many pictures of this great monument of engineering skill, and read so many descriptions of it that we confess to a slight disappointment on seeing it. Our experience is the common one, however, and is important, as it helps to settle the point so fiercely struggled over by young writers and debaters that "the expectation is better than the realization."

The bridge safely over, we swung round into Montreal, and were soon in the Bonaventure station. Omnibuses were ready to take us to our hotels, and the party was soon encamped in the St. Lawrence, St. James and Ottawa. They are a square, containing four acres, on which are erected stands for the band which plays there in the summer evenings. Around this park on one side, are three churches, the High School, and Court House. Two hotels, three banks, and the principal stores, also front on the square. It was at this spot in October, 1861, that the rebel raid was made. A citizen of St. Albans showed us the position of things on that memorable afternoon. It seems that one armed raider was posted at each end of the Common, and drove into the park every one who attempted to pass. Meantime the others went to the banks, locked the cashiers in their vaults, and secured some \$200,000. Part of the raiders had gone to the stables and secured horses for the entire gang, which they mounted and rode off, firing as they went, to intimidate the citizens. Three citizens were wounded and one afterwards died.

The visit of the editors was celebrated with a display of fireworks on the Common, music by the band, and a dance at the Welsford House, of which Mr. Thomas Lavender is the gentlemanly proprietor. The first day of the trip passed without an accident, and was enjoyed by every one. The fatigue of travel which many dreaded was hardly noticed, so perfect were the arrangements, and so attentive were the railroad men to our wants. The day was fine, and everything conspired to make it, as it was, a happy day.

TUESDAY.

All of our party were early risers on that morning. The object was to attend mass at the French Cathedral, at 5 P. M. This building is of great size and looks as if it might contain all the Woburn churches within its ample walls. Two towers spring from the front to the height of 250 feet. In one is the Gros Bourdon, or great bell, the largest in America. In the church were perhaps a hundred worshippers, and twice as many spectators. The services were very brief, and at their close a funeral train entered, and the religious ceremonies were observed; and then a wedding party came to the altar, and two were made one. Priests then entered the confessional, of which there were a great number, and received those who desired their services. The cathedral is of the Gothic order inside. There are two galleries, one above the other, and the multitude it might seat on certain occasions must be immense. The chancel windows are beautiful works of art, and about the cathedral are several very fine paintings. The altar and all its surroundings were very rich and costly.

About nine o'clock our party started to the depot and took a train for Lachine. In the trip we were welcomed to the city by "His Worship" the Mayor, better known as Judge Coursal of St. Albans-raid fame. Consul General Dart, also spoke. This train was furnished by the merchants of the city, some of whom accompanied us. At Lachine we em-

bordered with plank sidewalks. The depot, is one of the finest in New England. The railroad shops are very extensive, and well worth a visit. St. Albans is noted for its trade in butter and cheese, and being situated in the midst of a grazing country, is well adapted to this purpose. The butter "ware shops," as they are called, are located about the depot, and on the street leading to the park. Around these are teams from the country loaded with butter. The day of our visit was the market day, and the busy scene was one seldom witnessed outside the large cities.

At three o'clock we left St. Albans behind us. As the train started out of the depot, a large number of signal torpedoes that had been placed on the track were exploded, causing a stampede among the lady spectators, in whose minds a raid was doubtless associated.

There was but little to interest us as we drove along, until we reached Highgate Springs. Here is a large hotel, built to accommodate visitors who come to drink the waters of the mineral spring. We were told there would be a stop of two minutes, but as the water boils and dashes upon the huge rocks that lit their grim heads with threatening aspect, and which and eddies over more terrible, because more hidden breakers, and the staunch craft seemly dashing on to shore destruction, answering the steady hand of the pilot, turns away from the dangerous points, now dipping into the mighty trough of the waves that threaten to engulf her, and then riding out upon the placid river below, the wondrous grandeur of the scene impressed every beholder. From the rapids, and the mental excitement induced by them, the sail to the city and under the wonderful Victoria bridge is tame, and we were glad to reach the pier and disembark.

From the pier the Mayor conducted us to the City Hall, the several departments of which he personally described. The large hall was very dilapidated, having been used as a drill hall by the militia since the Fenian raid. The building will soon give place to a more elegant structure.

From the Hall we passed to Notre Dame street, and up the hill to the Nelson monument. This looks shabby enough, the bar-velvet on the base being broken off in places, and the whole affair crumbling to decay. This is doubtless owing to the fact that the city is now in the hands of the French, and they are not anxious to preserve the memory of Nelson or his victories.

Our guide conductor having invited us to witness a parade of the Fire Brigade, and at 8 o'clock were on their way south, to a levee at his "humble residence" in the afternoon, left us at our hotel.

At noon we visited the fire alarm telegraph, and saw the meridian time taken and struck on the bells of the city. The system is the same as that used in Boston.

Montreal is supplied with water from a reservoir situated on a mountain above the city, which gives a water pressure at the hydrants of 80 pounds to the square inch. Pipes are laid all over the city, and hydrants at short intervals, so that engines are dispensed with, and the whole department consists of 33 men and two engineers. There are nine stations, at six of which four men are stationed and at the others three. Each station has a guardian, whose family resides there, and boards the men. Two hose carts, similar to those attached to our hand engines are furnished. They are coupled together, the forward one being furnished with shafts, and both surmounted with seats, and drawn by a horse. The men wear a brass helmet, made in London, blue dress coat, white belt and pants trimmed with red cord. The engineers wear clothes of the same cut, with navy capa trimmed with wide gold band, gold braid shoulder knots, gilded belt and a cane. There are two hook and ladder trucks which the brigade use as needed. At two o'clock our party assembled on the Champ de Mars, where an alarm box had been placed, and one of the ladies gave the signal. No. 2 had about as far to go as from our steamer's house to the reservoir, foot of Summer street. No. 9 had nearly two miles to go. At the signal No. 2 hitched up, went to the hydrant and had a stream through 50 feet of hose and an inch nozzle, playing on the drill shed in front of the Champ de Mars, in one minute and twenty seconds. In less than five minutes the whole brigade was on the ground. After playing a short time, they went through evolutions similar to those of a light battery, which they very much resembled. Their promptness and efficiency took every one by surprise, and although Chief Bertrand assured the writer it was a piece of tomfoolery to drag him away from the track in season to prevent a serious accident.

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CHARLES STURGEON VILLAGE LOCATED IN WOBURN, MASS., INCORPORATED AS WOBURN, AD. 1812.

REGULATIONS

Issued by the Board of Health of the Town of Woburn.

SELEGMAN'S OFFICE,

WOBURN, JULY 15, 1871.

It is the belief of the Board of Health of this town, that a great amount of good may be done by the town and its agents in the enforcement of all ordinances.

In view of the fact that these ordinances are not in force, the Board of Health has issued the following regulations:

Ordered. That all jutland, glue factories, or vegetable matter be removed on or before the 25th of July, from all cellars and outer-houses, and that such articles be sent to the nearest post office, and sent by mail, at least ten rods from any highway in this town.

Ordered. That all tanneries, glue factories, or other places where animal or vegetable matter is received, be kept clean, and that means be provided for the removal of the same, receiving the deposits of fifth from the day of the removal.

Ordered. That all slaughter houses be kept clean, and that means be provided for the removal of the same.

Ordered. That no wagon in which night soil, ashes, putrid meat, bones, or offal, in such condition as to be offensive to the public, shall be allowed to stand on any public street, or in any public place, to stop more than five minutes at any place, except at the place or places where it is to be disposed of.

Ordered. That no privy shall be opened after the 15th of October, 1871, except for the purpose of distinction.

Ordered. That these resolutions remain in force three months.

Ordered. That the Chief of Police be instructed to enforce the foregoing regulations.

The Board of Health and its agents earnestly recommend to keep their houses, cellars, stables, shops, hen pens, and yards clean, and to remove and to clean all refuse, and to keep their premises also, to whitewash their cellars, outer-houses, stables, where it can be done. Also, to paint, scrub, and clean all their doors and eaves-pans about their premises, by using such disinfectants as may be necessary.

Extracts from the General Statutes of Massachusetts, chapter 26.

Sec. 9. The Board or the Health Officer shall order the owner or occupant at his own expense to remove any nuisance, source of filth, or cause of sickness, or any other thing which may be offensive to the public, within four hours of such other time as it deems reasonable, after notice served as provided in the following section, and to do all that may be necessary to do so, he shall forfeit a sum not exceeding twenty dollars for each day, and may be compelled to permit such nuisance or cause of sickness to remain after the time prescribed for the removal thereof.

Sec. 10. Such order shall be made in writing, and served by any person competent to serve a notice, and the owner or occupant, or his agent, or his authorized agent, or a copy of the order may be served at the last and usual place of abode of the owner or occupant, or his agent, in known and within the State. But if the premises are not then in the possession of the owner or agent, or is unknown or within the State, the notice may be served by posting the same on the premises where the same are situated, or in the manner in which manner and for such length of time as the Board of Health officer may direct.

Sec. 11. If the owner or occupant fails to comply with such order, the board may cause the same, or any part of it, or cause of sickness, to be removed, and all expenses incurred in so doing shall be paid by the owner, occupant, or other person who caused the same to remain, and a bill for the same, with notice from the Board of Health of the existence thereof.

Sec. 12. When a householder knows that a person within his family is taken sick of small-pox or any other dangerous disease to the public health, he must immediately report the same to the Selectmen or Board of Health of the town in which he dwells.

He refuses or neglects to give such notice, he shall forfeit a sum not exceeding one hundred dollars.

By order of the Board of Health,
E. E. THOMPSON, Clerk.

(L. S.) COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS.—TO ANDREW MCNAUL, of Woburn, in the County of Middlesex, and to any and all persons claiming any interest in about three gallons of whisky, in one keg, which by virtue of a warrant issued by me, have been seized at the dwelling house of said Andrew McNaul, in said Woburn, on the eighteenth day of July, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-one, the value of which, to the best of my knowledge and belief, in my opinion, does not exceed twenty dollars. You are hereby required to appear before me, at my office, at 12 o'clock, on the first day of August next, at 4 o'clock in the afternoon, to answer to the charge of having violated the law of this Commonwealth, in that you have, by force and violence, taken and carried away, and to show cause, if any you have, why said liquors and vessels should not be sold at public auction, in said County, on the first day of August next, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-one.

Attest: JOHN W. DAY, Constable of Woburn.

A true copy. Attest:
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LINES

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THE DEPARTURE.

We have left all pressing business, we have told the pen aside;

We have given all our sentiments, and have let our duties slide;

We have no desire for offices, for well we know the cares

of the office editorial, up three long flights of stairs.

We have bid farewell to politics, to news from far

We have given up discussion of the topics held most dear—

We shall tell all of what we know of farming

And still upon the horrid state of government in

The "Protective Tariff" has no claim that may not be deferred.

"Home Industry" must work along without our aid—

All our duties we have left behind, on pleasure we wait.

The well prize *ad calorem* (quite specific you'll consent).

With the price of stocks or governments we'll not

disturb our mind—All stocks may go up down, as they may be inclined.

And the cotton crop may turn out slim, or when But we steadily go "up ahead" while we feel "sure we're right."

Not a candidate for Governor need seek to know our fate in the Commonwealth, or "what we think they'll do."

Are the Presidential prospects not awaiting our brains?

The weather shan't annoy us, if it's cool and dry.

But perhaps the most unblushing thing that calls for our remark.

"At the place on an Elopement Case, wherein he is to go to gaol."

"In such shameful ways his readers—he must think they're very dull."

Are the "Transcript without credit, there's no doubt."

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A NUISANCE.—The persons who are in the habit of making night hideous by their howls about the center of the town, ought to be suppressed by some power. A serenade is often a musical treat, and to be awakened to listen to the melody that sometimes floats upon the air, has charms for all lovers of harmony. But these miscreants, who are undoubtedly losers, hang around until all decent places are closed, and then they begin their plaintive howls like the dogs of Constantinople, so graphically described by Dr. March, and murder tunes till midnight. They have a guitar with them, though how any one with ear enough to play that instrument can abide the noise he accompanies, is one of the mysteries. One of the gang insists through his nose, and in the hoarsest of accents, that his mother kissed him in his dreams; or he wouldn't speak of her as he does; and if he is proud of his singing, he had better go home nights and try and be somebody. Caterwauling succumbs to old boots or an occasional shot; vile smells are taken care of by the Board of Health; but who shall relieve us of these howling egotists, who are out every night, and go home in the morning thinking they have been singing.

MEM.—We hasten to note an improvement. Mother kissed him in his dreams but once last night. Hope revives.

SEIZURES.—The constables are still busy seizing liquor, and one place was overhauled twice in twelve hours. Sunday morning they made a haul of liquor in transit. The dealers now are obliged to be on the alert, and they have established a system of guards to prevent surprise. About twenty rods from the store in each direction, small boys are posted, who when they see a policeman coming in and give the alarm. One of these pickets was followed up so closely by the enemy the other day, that officer and boy arrived at the store together, and the victim had no time to hide his liquor, and a good haul was the result.

BASE BALL.—A match game of base ball was played on Tuesday, August 1st, between the Hallowell Base Ball Club, of West Medford, and the Atlantic Base Ball Club, of Woburn, on the grounds of the latter. The following is the score, 32 to 25, in favor of the Athletics:

ATLANTIC	O. H. HANDELING	O. H.
Richardson	4	4
Hogan	5	5
Cooper	4	4
Bartington	1	1
Simonds	5	5
Hayward	2	2
Taylor	1	1
	27	25

Umpire—Edward Murphy.
Scorers—H. Hastings, N. W. Eaton.

BASKET PICNIC.—The 39th Regt. are to have a basket picnic at Downer's Landing in Hingham, on the 17th of August. Gen Warren has been invited, Edmunds' Band secured, and a good time may be expected. The cost is 50 cents. The party will go from Boston on the steamer Wm. Harrison. All are invited; the regiment gets up the party, but they do not wish to confine it to their own members, but all ladies and gentlemen who want to spend a pleasant picnic are invited to join the party.

ACCIDENT.—About eight o'clock last Friday evening, a horse and wagon belonging to A. W. Brooks, was standing near J. D. Porter's store, the horse was frightened by some unknown cause, and started down the street at a furious rate, clearing himself of the wagon just below N. J. Simonds' establishment, and running almost to Winchester, when he was stopped. The wagon was a perfect wreck, but the horse was uninjured.

CONCERT.—The concert by the colored children on Wednesday evening was poorly attended. It was a very creditable performance, however, some of the children evincing good musical taste, which with the proper training would no doubt make artists of them. We understand they will repeat the concert at some future time.

ROBBERY.—G. F. Ellis, of this town, late with Lee & Shepard, has formed a co-partnership with A. F. Graves, of Cornhill, and will go into the book trade as Graves & Ellis. Success to the new firm.

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JUSTICE CONVERSE'S COURT.

Hiram Calef, for keeping liquor with intent to sell, was fined \$10 and costs. Matthew Foley, same offence, two cases, fined \$10, and costs in each. Thomas Cullen, same offence, fined \$10 and costs, \$10 and costs. Cornelius O'Brien, of Lexington, same offence, \$10 and costs. Daniel Kenneran, of Bedford, same offence, \$10 and costs. John F. Barrett, common drunkard, sentenced to two months in House of Correction, appealed. Lemuel Gibson was sent to the House of Correction for three months for vagrancy. Elbridge Hardy, Michael McNulty, Patrick Bradley, William H. Robinson, John A. Richardson, for single drunks, each fined \$3 and costs. Patrick Keating for the same offence, was fined \$5 and costs. Edward Boutwell was arrested for assault and battery, but finding nothing against him, he was discharged. Hugh Dorrington for a single drunk fined \$3 and costs. Otis Blaisdell was arrested for a single drunk, but giving information as to where he obtained the liquor was discharged. Mrs. Salmon was the person designated. She was arrested and fined \$10 and costs. John Shunkin paid \$20 and costs and recognized in \$1000 for illegally transporting liquors.

NEW JAIL FOR MIDDLESEX COUNTY.—Under authority of an act of the Legislature, the County Commissioners will construct next Spring a new jail at East Cambridge, at a cost not to exceed \$100,000, upon plans drawn by A. R. Esty, which will give four tiers of cells, in all seventy-five apartments, upon the most improved system now adopted in such institutions, securing the safe-keeping of the prisoner without depriving him of those great necessities for the enjoyment of health, light and thorough ventilation.

An addition will also be made to the rear of the Court house in order to give enlarged accommodations to the office of Register of Deeds.

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22.—The Saratoga Sun speaking of the inauguration hop at the Waverly Hotel in that city, in describing the dancers, says:

Miss Thompson, of Woburn, Mass., a pretty blonde, whose various excelling qualities and accomplishments caused her to be pointed out to us as the belle of the party. She was dressed with elegance and taste.

ACCIDENT.—Last week, Saturday, a team loaded with furniture was standing near N. J. Simonds. The driver, Mr. Z. T. White, was in the team mill, and the horse becoming unsteady turned, and in so doing broke one of the bolts, over-turning the load upon the sidewalk. The furniture was considerably damaged.

PERSONAL.—We regret to state that Mr. W. H. Clarke is about to leave town for Dayton, Ohio, where he goes to fill the position of Superintendent of music in the public schools. He will enter upon his duties about the first of September.

RANGER.—"Ranger" of the Boston Journal, is ranging over the White Hills once more, and this time as a family man. For particulars see list of marriages.

NEW ENGINE HOUSE.—The contract for the new engine house has been awarded to J. C. Whitcher, and is to be completed before Dec. 1st.

SPRAN.—Theodore M. Parker, on Wednesday, sprained his ankle by jumping from a staging on which he was at a party's dress rehearsal.

ON THE WAVE.—On Thursday a party from Woburn went to Gloucester for a day's recreation.

No. 4 engine company of East Woburn went to the beach to-day, Saturday, J. B. Davis' big team.

23.—Constable Tidd made a seizure of James Rogers' barn on Prospect street, Friday morning.

24.—Boring for water in Woburn—Jenkins.

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TAXES OF WOBURN FOR 1871.

Number of polls taxed, 2,527
Total value of personal estate taxed, \$2,875,888
Total value of real estate taxed, 4,904,500

Rate per cent, \$12.50 on a thousand.

Number of dwelling houses, 1,396

" " horses, 563

" " cows, 420

Total amount raised for State, County and Town purposes, \$102,309.50

Increase of polls from 1870, 84

Decrease of real estate from 1870, \$91,830

Increase of per cent est. from 1870, 134,987

Increase of dwlg houses from 1870, 43

" " horses from 1870, 29

" " cows from 1870, 29

The decrease of personal property from 1870, is owing mainly to the law passed at the last Legislature, changing the taxation of bank stock.

The following is a list of persons and corporations whose tax for 1871 exceeded \$500.00:

Abbott, R. est. \$23,05 Kimball, John R. 218,55

Aiken, L. H. 94,191 Kinsman, W. B. 56,46

Ames, Erskine 12,268 Kinney, Galvax Co. 12,00

Ames, Henry L. 17,55 Knobell, C. A. 10,00

Ayer, Willi 2,60 Knobell, C. A. 10,00

Bacon, M. 1,20 Knobell, C. A. 10,00

Baldwin, J. 1,00 Knobell, C. A. 10,00

Bancroft, E. 1,00 Knobell, C. A. 10,00

Barrington, E. 1,00 Knobell, C. A. 10,00

Bartington, E. 1,00 Knobell, C. A. 10,00

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Guardian's Sale of Real Estate.

By virtue of a license from the Judge of the Probate Court of the County of Middlesex, I shall sell at public auction on the premises, Monday, the 11th day of August, next, at 1 o'clock, P. M., the property of John H. Sheld, Nelly Sheld and Harry L. Sheld, all of Lowell, in said County, minors, have in and to the same, in fee simple, one-half acre and one-half acres, situated on Cambridge Street in the westerly part of Woburn, with the buildings thereon, to-wit, a dwelling house, a kitchen, a land of Frederick Dow and heirs of Henry Parker; with the property of the same, and the land of said heirs of Henry Parker, and land of William Flagg; and Easterly by land of said William Flagg.

Terms at sale.

LYDIA C. SHEDD,
Guardian of said Minors.

W. WINN, Auctioneer,
Woburn, July 29th, 1871.

Mortgagee's Sale.

By virtue of a power of sale contained in a certain mortgagee, given by Samuel Swinburn to Peter W. Day, Constable of Woburn, in the County of Middlesex, Lib. 254, Fol. 362, and for breach of the conditions said mortgagee, the premises, to-wit, a dwelling house, kitchen, garden, etc., in the town of Woburn, in said County, in the 17th day of August, 1871, at 1 o'clock in the afternoon, and singular, the premises contained in said mortgagee, being a certain tract of land, containing one quarter of an acre, more or less, situated on Cambridge Street in the westerly part of Woburn, with the buildings thereon, to-wit, a dwelling house, a kitchen, a land of Frederick Dow and heirs of Henry Parker; with the property of the same, and the land of said heirs of Henry Parker, and land of William Flagg; and Easterly by land of said William Flagg.

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MILITARY HISTORY OF WOBURN.
WOBURN UNION GUARD.
CHAPTER XII.—Continued.

About ten o'clock Tuesday night orders came to get ready to march in two hours in light order, piling the knapsacks in the streets. Some of Co. F, those who were on post had not turned in, but guard and all were to go. By midnight the brigade was moving on the road to Mechanicsville. The moon shone brightly, the air was cool, no dust to annoy them, and though they moved slowly, it was not an unpleasant march. They reached their destination at daylight, having gone a distance of four and a half miles. Mechanicsville previous to its occupation by Gen. Stoneman, some four weeks ago, was a place of considerable importance to the rebels. There are several dwellings here, and a number of large shops where gun carriages and army wagons were built for the rebel government. It is but five miles from Richmond, the steeples of its churches being in sight from a hill, near the principal depot. The New Jersey Brigade was encamped there, and it was at first intended for us to relieve them. They remained there all day, and at night returned to the old camping ground.

On the following Friday they pulled up stakes on Gaines' hill, and moved a mile north to Dr. Curtis' farm, which had been occupied until a little while before by cavalry of McClellan's guard. It is a level spot surrounded by woods on three sides, and consequently quite sheltered. They laid out the camp with unusual care, having company streets forty feet wide, and all the tents surrounded with shade trees. When they arrived there it was a barren flat of hard sand; but it soon had the appearance of a large garden. The trees not only added to the good looks of the place, but afforded a good shade, which was very acceptable to soldiers. In a hollow in the rear of the camp wells were dug, yielding very good water.

They left the old camp about eight o'clock Friday morning, as above stated, and it was well they did, because they had hardly got away before the rebels began throwing shells, and they dropped about the camp in a way which would have been unpleasant had it been occupied. They sheltered Dr. Gaines' house and buildings, which were used as hospitals, and some of the fine shade trees in the old rebel's yard had their branches shot away. The sick were removed without harm, however. As Commissioner Hackett, of our regiment, was returning to the old camp with a train of wagons to bring away the baggage he could not bring the first trip, a shot struck one of the teams, taking out a piece of felloe of the hind wheel, and passing through the side and bottom of the wagon. The mules took fright, and soon had the wagons out of range. Luckily no one was hurt, and the only damage done was to the wagon. Not so fortunate were other regiments, for the rebel shells that day killed a private in the 1st Connecticut, and a lieutenant in the 14th Regulars.

Prentice Childs, of Co. F, died June 24 in the hospital. There was no specific disease, but a general debility, a wasting away, caused no doubt by the many hardships which he had in common with his comrades who had been forced to undergo. At Gaines' he entered the hospital, where he was sick with so small chance of recovery that application was made for his discharge, and the preliminary papers made out. The "law's delays" bear no comparison to the war's delays, and it would have been weeks before he could have been sent home. But death discharged him, and his campaigning was ended. On Monday he was very low, and thought to be dying, but Dr. Milnor succeeded in reviving him, and he seemed much better than he had been for some time previous. Tuesday morning he looked finely. He did not suffer much during the day and ate his supper, but soon after fell away. He was buried next morning in a grave which was made under the pines near our camp. The company escorted the body to the grave, where services were performed by the chaplain of the 13th New York in a very impressive manner. The following inscription was carved on a piece of wood and placed upon the coffin, so that the body may be identified if it should be sent for: "Prentice Childs, Co. F, 22d Regt. Mass. V., died June 24, 1862, aged 48 years."

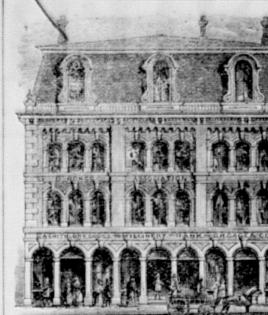
About two o'clock on the morning of June 20th, we were ordered under arms and remained so until daylight. The order then came for us to go on picket, and the regiment started off. After proceeding a short distance the order was countermanded, and they returned to camp. The duty required was guarding the telegraph so that a small detail from each company was sufficient. The detail was made, the men started off, the regiment settled down to the routine of camp life. On Thursday Cos. A, F, D, and I, were detailed for picket near the pontoon bridge across the Chickahominy, and went out early in the morning.

About noon orders came to fall in, and the regiment was soon in its place in the brigade, marching up the Hanover road. We made a long halt where the Mechanicsville road crosses the one on which we were travelling, which is about three miles from our camp. About three o'clock we moved half a mile further up the road, and took position in a wood a little way from the road. Firing began to be heard further up the road and also on our left in the direction of Mechanicsville, and we then learned that Jackson had reinforced the rebels, and our forces at that place had been attacked.

(To be continued.)

It is recorded of the famous fox hunter, Myton, that having leaped over a fence into a gravel pit some thirty feet deep, he lay there with his broken leg perfectly quiet, in the hope that he might have company. Presently a farmer comes down, horse and man, with grievous damage, and almost on the top of him. "Why did you not warn me?" cried the unfortunate. "Why did you not tell us while there was time?" "Hush, hush, you fool," replied Myton; "if you will only hold your noise, we shall soon have the pit full of them."

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AWAKE OR ASLEEP.

Inhabitants of this town are apt to consider Woburn a small place. It is so if the comparison is made with Burlington, but it is not so if the comparison is made with any go-ahead town about Boston. Take the increase of buildings for instance. Woburn last year, erected 43 new dwelling houses, while Stoneham built 79 in the first half of his year. In width than the gain in valuation this year is \$1,015,200, while we have decreased nearly half a million. Woburn is situated favorably for a large local trade, and it receives it, and it might grow more rapidly than it does if a little more life could be infused into some of our citizens. Of the 43 dwellings erected last year, nearly all were built for mechanics and men of small means. And these were induced to build by necessity, it being impossible to find tenements except by building.

There is plenty of unoccupied land, but the owners hold it at high prices and will not build on it themselves. In Stoneham, improvements are held out for men to become house-holders, and if a man wants to build a house he is encouraged in the laudable purpose. This is right, for the man who owns his homestead is a better citizen than the mere tenant, and who ever encourages the first is a public benefactor. Announcements of new tanneries and enlargements of old ones are constantly being made, and we are apt to judge from these indications that we are progressing. And so we are, but what is being done to accommodate the workmen which these increased facilities for business call for? Nothing. They are forced to crowd the only localities where cheap tenements may now be found, and the result is unhealthy,—physically and morally. Our large manufacturers ought to build more houses, either to let or sell to their workmen, and an increase of business facilities ought to be followed by increased conveniences for living. This matter when referred to in conversation, as it often is, so patent is the truth of these assertions, is not by the complacent rejoinder that Mr. A. ought to do this, employs a great many hands, or that Mr. B. has got plenty of money he could invest that way just as well as not, or that Mr. C. should take the lead in this matter. While we are standing all the day idle in this matter, other towns are leaving us in the race. We must wake up, or be distanced.

Woburn is also woefully behind with her roads. The money for them is voted grudgingly, and much of it expended foolishly. No man would run his family as our streets are managed; he would get the best talent he could have for the money, and consider it good economy. We ought not to fail to mention as a sign of better things to come, that a topographical survey has been made of the Victoria League, and nominated Victoria C. Woodhull for President of the United States, whom they desire to elect.

The police called upon Charles Hickey and Patrick H. Murphy, of North Woburn, last Saturday night, and brought away a good assortment. It was a rather uncircumstantial call, so at least thought Charles and Patrick. The breach of etiquette they could excuse, but to demand their merchandize as a *souvenir*, that was the saddest blow of all. Patrick's faithful spouse thought to save some. Supposing that her confederates were without, while officer Day was in the cellar, she passed a jug of whiskey out of the window, and it was clapped, not by any of her *clique*, but by officer Osgood, who bore it tenderly to the wagon.

JUSTICE CONVERSE'S COURT.—James McDonald, Patrick McColgan and Charles Hickey, were each fined \$10 and costs for keeping liquor with intent to sell, and recognized in the sum of \$1000 not to violate the liquor law for one year. James Keegan, \$5 and costs. Peter O'Brien, assault on W. H. Foster, J. F. Leslie, Littlefield, J. A. Brown, G. J. Plindar, Horace Dean.

ALMOST AN ACCIDENT.—Last Friday afternoon Oliver Wilson drove up to Hartwell and Reynolds market. He went into the market leaving the horse unfastened. The building has recently been shingled and they were throwing down the old shingles, which frightened the horse. It turned, nearly upsetting the wagon in doing so, and ran at quite a lively gait down Park St. but was stopped below the Baptist Church. The contents of the wagon were well shaken up. The horse was uninjured.

FIGHT.—The word is short, but significant. M. Foley & Co's store, so recently the scene of active "liquor seizures," on Saturday evening last, added "new laurels to its fame." Two men, Thomas Sheran and Peter O'Brien, got into a dispute, thence into a fight, in which all in the store would have joined but for the timely interference of the officers who arrested the two above named parties.

CONFIRMATION.—About two hundred persons received the title of confirmation at the St. Charles Catholic Church, in this town, last Wednesday. The ceremonies were conducted by Rt. Rev. Bishop Williams of Boston, assisted by Rev. Fathers Quale and McClure of Woburn, and Rev. Father Fitzpatrick of Stoneham. The music for the occasion was under the direction of Miss Nellie McGovern of Charlestown, the organist of the church.

HORSE KILLED.—A horse was accidentally backed over an embankment at Dow's tannery last Saturday. The fall broke his neck.

DODGE.—The druggist, has a good supply of remedies, proper and proprietaries. Also soda and good beer.

LET.—Read Jotham F. Hill's announcement, ye who want a good desirable tenement.

LEONARD.—Leonard has arrived with more horses.

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NEW PUBLICATIONS.

THE MANUFACTURER AND BUILDER.—The August number of this sterling periodical has been duly received. It presents its usual array of able and instructive articles, all of the highest practical use to the manufacturer and artisan. Among others are papers on "Workmen's Cottages"; "Paints made of Copper"; "Interesting Tests of Copper"; "Machinery and Machine-shops"; "Manufacture of Horn and Tortoise-shell"; and one entitled "New Improvement on the Sunbeam," which practically as well as theoretically demonstrates the falsity of the theory, lately advanced by General Pleasanton, of bringing animals and vegetables to rapid maturity by exposing them to solar rays passed through violet glass. This publication is one that no mechanician can do without. It avoids technicalities and deals in the practical in such a way as to be readable and interesting. Whenever you look upon them may they stir your hearts to renewed devotion to your country. And may the remembrance of the gallantries done by the men represented in these pictures, nerve your arm to even greater deeds of valor.

Capt. E. F. Wyer accepted the gift, and said,

Mr. Commander, Officers and Members of the Phalanx:—In behalf of the Officers and men of Post 33, A. A. R., we would tender you our most sincere and grateful thanks for your numerous acts of kindness; in furnishing us with escorts on different occasions; and for the soldierly manner in which that duty has always been performed. Also, for the assistance you rendered us in our exhibition, which you bore your part to the satisfaction of the Post, and the people.

Now, Mr. Commander, allow me in behalf of the officers and members of the Post, to present you and your command with these pictures, not for any intrinsic value they may possess, but as a slight token of our great appreciation of your services. Whenever you look upon them may they stir your hearts to renewed devotion to your country. And may the remembrance of the gallantries done by the men represented in these pictures, nerve your arm to even greater deeds of valor.

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Mr. Commander and Gentlemen of Post 33:—In behalf of Co. G, I return you my sincere thanks for this testimonial. Whatever my company has done has been from a sense of duty as military men, and we are glad to have had an opportunity to render any service to the Grand Army of the Republic. Some of the men are members of that organization, and fully appreciate the work it is doing. Others who were too young to be in the Army Christian for human help; the grain Fleet of the Hudson River; and the "Lost Sheep Found," besides numerous general articles. For sale by the newsdealers at only five cents per copy.

MOSE SKINNER'S BRIDAL TOUR AND OTHER SKETCHES.—We have received the above named collection from the New England News Company, Boston. Those who have ever read any of "Mose Skinner's" sketches, will not fail to read these which contain good jokes and excellent hits. He remarks in his salutation that "these memoirs were written with a view to touch the heart of his fellow creatures at the rate of ten cents a creature. And his ultimate object is to raise wind enough for Mrs. Skinner to sail to church in a new Spring Bonnet." Price ten cents sold by Horton.

SNAKE STORY.—John B. Davis, the captain of the Gen. Sherman barge, while driving a party from Reading to Nahant on Thursday, met with an adventure. In the Lynnfield woods the party was attracted by two old ladies at the roadside, one of whom was armed with a gun, and was blowing a fish horn. It seemed they had been picking berries, when a large snake dropped from a tree upon one of them. She immediately went to her house, some forty rods distant, and armed herself as above, and was blowing the horn to charm the snake until help should arrive. One of the party took the gun and fired, but did not hit the snake, when John, who has the fearlessness of the mere naturalist and evolutionist, went to the gun and fired, and the snake cut him in two pieces. The snake measured four feet in length, and had four rattles. John secured the rattles for a trophy. The old ladies were over seventy years old, and showed good pluck, and when the snake ran into the woods, they were the only ones who joined Capt. Davis in the chase.

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CHAPTER XII.—Continued.

They remained there but a short time and then returned to the woods where we first halted. Here the brigade was formed, the 22d on the right, and marched through the woods to an open field beyond, on the Mechanicsville road. The rebels were pouring shot and shell into this field as if they expected the woods were full of Yankees, but we crossed it safely, and took our appointed place near the fence which bounded the field, where we could if needed support any of the regiments that were skirmishing in the woods. While there a canister shot killed a member of Co. K, and took the legs off three members of Co. H. The wounded men were taken off the field, but they died before morning. Col. Gove then moved his regiment further to the right out of range. The firing continued until long after dark, and was the heaviest cannoneading I ever heard. There was a continuous roar of artillery, drowning the sound of muskets, making the engagement appear more like a bombardment than a battle. About nine o'clock in the evening the firing ceased, and the 22d marched back to the road. Co. C was then sent again into the field and posted pickets. We stood at our posts without reliefs until daylight, when we were called in, and the regiment returned to camp.

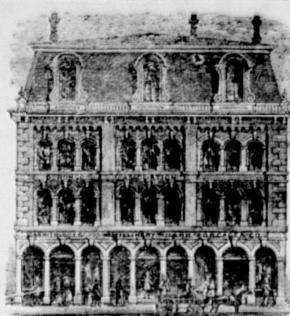
Arrived in camp we were ordered to pack knapsacks which we did, the firing heard from Mechanicsville, sounding each moment nearer, hastening our movements. The wagons, heavily laden, went the night before, and what remained in the quartermaster's department was destroyed. The whole force got safely over the little stream at Gaines' Mills, and batteries were placed on the hill above to hold the rebels in check. They moved around the strip of woods on the border of the Gaines estate about half a mile from the old mansion, halted and took up a position. The strip of wood covered a steep hill, terminating at its base in a deep, wide ditch. From this ditch on the other side a corresponding hill arose, cultivated with wheat and consequently bare of trees. I can only give with certainty our own position, as having been posted it was impossible to leave the place to view the rest of the field. The 13th and 25th New York were ordered down to the edge of the ditch where they fell large trees, and soon had a strong breastwork erected. Our regiment did the same at the top of the hill, each company cutting a large tree several feet in diameter, for a breastwork, the limbs being trimmed and placed so as to be a serious obstacle in climbing the logs from the outside. We were ordered to lie down behind the logs and not fire without orders. The firing all the morning had been distant, but now the rebels had evidently got pretty near, for we had hardly finished our breastwork when they appeared on the opposite hill and opened fire on the New Yorkers. It was returned with great spirit, and three times were the rebels repulsed with great loss. Once their color bearer was killed and the 13th secured the colors. But each time they were driven back, they returned to the fight with fresh men and increased numbers. Our men were impudent to take an active part in the engagement, but no orders were given, until finally the 13th came pouring over our breastwork saying, "get up boys and give 'em some!" We did so, but with what effect we could not know, as the smoke was too thick to permit of our taking aim. The rebels, however, followed the Yorkers closely, and our fire must have given them a momentary check, as they moved on to the left, and soon appeared on our right flank, driving Co. A from its defences.

The regiment flanked on both sides, the rebels having advanced in the form of an inverted V, was forced back over the hill. Col. Gove was killed while rallying his men, and at this point the regiment lost heavily. Capt. Dunning and Capt. Salter was killed; Major Tilton, Capt. Whorf, Lieuts. Washburn and Stearns were wounded and taken prisoners. A stand was made some two hundred yards from the first position, Capt. Thompson (Capt. Sampson having run away before the final attack by the rebels), being the senior officer, taking command of the remnant that remained, and the attempt was made to recover the lost ground. It was almost successful, but the army was falling back, which we did not know at the time, and excepting some assistance from Martin's Battery the 22d stood almost above. Unable to maintain the unequal contest, the regiment withdrew, and camped a short distance from the field. In this engagement the 22d lost 31 killed, 49 wounded, 93 prisoners and 91 missing, a total of 264. Among the killed was Corporal F. W. Thompson, son of the captain. All through the night his father wandered among the camp fires inquiring for his son. No one had seen him, and only one of the company ever did see him after we were flanked out of the breastwork. He was killed at the breastwork. His father could not believe but that Frank would turn up somewhere, and his anxiety in regard to the matter undoubtedly shortened his own days.

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ONE YEAR MORE.

The Journal has been a year under its present management, and during that time has met with good success. The circulation has increased 23 per cent, and the advertising patronage has been all that could be desired. It has been our purpose to maintain a high standard for the paper, and to-day the Journal occupies an enviable position among the country press of Massachusetts. Our motto has been and is, "Independent of party, sect, or class," and that position will be maintained. Believing fully in a free discussion of all topics, we have not hesitated to express opinions, and our columns have never been denied to those who are willing to observe the rules which should govern every controversy. In the matter of news our readers know that few weekly papers take the pains in this department that is bestowed on the Journal. We claim to publish all the Woburn news, and during the coming year shall not relax any effort to make this a model newspaper. We also claim to give much interesting intelligence concerning our neighboring towns.

That the Journal is a live paper it is needless to reiterate, and during the coming year no pains will be spared to increase its vigor and usefulness. To the many friends whose thoughtfulness has supplied us with items of news we are very grateful, and hope they will not forget us whenever anything newsy comes under their notice.

Now is a good time to subscribe, and we would suggest to those who are regular readers of the Journal, buying their papers weekly, that they can save six cents a year by becoming subscribers.

THIRTY-NINTH REGIMENT.—The first Battalion Picnic of the 39th Regiment Association, was held at Downer's Landing, Hingham, on Thursday, the 17th inst. The party numbering about 300, left Littlefield's Wharf at 9.15 A. M., in the steamers William Harrison and Emilie, and arrived about 11 o'clock. A walk of half a mile brought them to the Moliney Gardens, which had been hired for the occasion, and which was opened this season for the first time, and is under the management of Mr. J. D. Seudler. About 12 o'clock tables were spread, and dinner taken of, after which many repaired to the dance hall to "try the light fantastic toe." At the hall, before dancing, Lieut. Col. Porter, President of the Association, made a few remarks, and welcomed the members to this, their first basket picnic. He introduced the following members, who made interesting remarks. Col. Hutchins, Maj. Graham, Capt. Brigham and Lieut. Mulligan, of Co. I, Lieut. Mills, of Co. E, Lieut. Eanes, of Co. C, and Sergt. Gardner, of Co. II.

At 3 o'clock, dress parade was gone through with Col. Hutchins and Lieut. Col. Porter taking the command, and reported about 150 men in line. A letter was read from Gen. Warren, regretting very much his inability to be present with them. The members were disappointed, as they had expected to see their old General, who is held in very high esteem, not only by the 39th Regiment, but by all the regiments of the Fifth Corps. Cheers were given for Gen. Warren, the Committee of Arrangements, the 39th Regiment Association, and the ladies, after which the line was formed and marched to the boat, accompanied by Edmund's Band, which rendered some excellent music, both brass and string, and left Hingham at 4 o'clock, arriving in Boston at 5.15. The picnic was in every way a success, and it was the unanimous opinion of the members, that a picnic, where the ladies could join them, was a much better way of holding a reunion than going to a hotel and having a supper by themselves.

FATAL ACCIDENT.—Last Monday morning, about half past eight, as Barney Grant, teamster for Caldwell & Sawyer, glue manufacturers, was driving up Pleasant street with a load of hair, he attempted to pass a large team, when one of his wheels struck a tree at the side of the street, near Dow's tannery. This frightened the horse, and he started off furiously. The sudden lurch of the wagon occasioned by this, threw Grant from his seat under the wheels, which passed over his chest and face. He lived but a few minutes after being taken up. He leaves a wife and several children.

RECKLESS.—Tuesday noon as some boys were driving down Main street with a lumber wagon, one of them conceived the idea of a horseback ride. Accordingly he crept out on the shafts and upon the horse, lying on him Indian fashion. The horse was frightened, and started to run, but the boys managed to guide him against the iron fence of the Congregational Church, and so got out of their dangerous position. The boy on the horse narrowly escaped injury.

ACCIDENT.—Last Monday, a man named Edwin Stevens, a carpenter, at work upon Francis Cummings' shop, near the Winchester line, received a severe wound on the hand by a broad axe, the axe falling from a saw-horse while he was moving it.

SLIGHT ACCIDENT.—A boy named Bowen, employed at Filat & Johnson's shoe stock factory, while grinding a knife last Tuesday, cut his finger quite severely.

The Praying Band of the Methodist church in Woburn, visited their brethren in Reading on Tuesday evening, going over in the Gen. Sherman.

THE police continue active, and seizures are frequent occurrences. Liquor in transit is no longer safe.

John Cummings Esq., has purchased the Abbott estate of the heirs.

JUSTICE CONVERSE'S COURT.

John T. Ryan, illegally transporting liquor, \$20 and cost, recognized in the sum of \$1000. Eugene Sullivan, single drunk, \$5 and costs. John Leary, for unlawfully keeping liquor with intent to sell, \$10 and costs, recognized in \$1000. Chas. A. Calef, common drunkard, 2 mos. House of Correction. James Cannon, vagrant, 2 months in House of Correction. John Fahey, single drunk second offence, 2 months House of Correction. Ann Caulfield, assault on Mary Tierny, \$3 and costs.

ACCIDENT.—C. H. Sprague, on Tuesday, accidentally shot himself with a pistol. The ball passed through his foot.

B.—We learn from a source undoubtedly authentic, that the scorer of the Onion Bay Ball Club, of North Winchester, has received a challenge from the Olympics, of Cleveland.

RUNAWAY.—The mason's horse ran away from Shepard's new house on Tuesday, left the wheels of his wagon on the Common, and kept on toward Woburn.

IMPROVEMENT.—The Baptist vestry is being moved out about 20 feet, and the space is to be filled out, which will give the society much needed room.

ENGINE HOUSE.—Dr. Winsor's school house has been fitted up for the Chemical Engine, which will be moved there in a few days.

FIREFMEN.—Excelsior Engine Co. No. 1 is going to the Firemen's muster in Portsmouth, next month.

BASE BALL.—The Mystics have challenged the Actives of No. Woburn, and will play a match game at Winchester, Saturday afternoon.

SINGULAR ACCIDENT.—On Tuesday C. W. Dorr, of Woburn, who was doing some mason work at N. J. Shattuck's new house near the piano factory, met with a singular accident. He had gone to the canal with a cart containing a hoggshead which he filled with water. In attempting to cross a small bridge the horse banked, one wheel went over the edge, and the cart, horsehead and horse tumbled into the water. Mr. Dorr held the horse's head above water, and assistance soon came from the piano shop. At this juncture, a swam of hornets which had built their nest at the bridge, opened near the engine room, and a fire evidently built among the bags. It was discovered in season to prevent a serious conflagration. No damage done. The Steamer, Hook and Ladder, No. 2 and No. 3 were present.

OUR remarks last week about the difficulty of Woburn's navigation need modifying, as the decrease is only \$43,157, and this is mainly owing to the fact that the tax on bank stock is now levied and collected on the banks themselves, and then returned to the towns where the stockholders reside. By this process the towns get the tax, though they are denied the privilege of placing their amounts on which it is raised upon their valuation.

WE were agreeably surprised the other morning with a beautiful bouquet of flowers presented us by the young ladies of Mr. J. P. Tyler's establishment. The flowers were selected from a little garden they have cultivated under their shop windows, where they have made from what was an ungrateful heap of coal ashes a spot beautiful and redolent.

DEATH OF MR. GOULD.—Mr. John Gould, conductor on the Woburn Branch, who was injured at the collision which occurred July 4th at the Boston & Lowell Railroad depot in Boston, died at the Mass. Gen. Hospital, at half past seven o'clock Thursday evening.

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Sunday Services—TOMORROW.
FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.—Rev. S. H. Denison, Pastor.
Preaching at 10:30 A. M., and 2:30 P. M. by Rev. W. L. Gage of Hartford, Conn.
Song School at 12 M.
Prayer Meeting at 7 P. M.

BAPTIST CHURCH.—Rev. H. C. Townley, Pastor.
Preaching at 10:30 A. M., and at 2:30 P. M. Sunday School at 12 M.
Prayer Meeting at 7 P. M.

INTERDENOMINATIONAL CHURCH.—Services at 10:30 A. M., and 7 P. M.

UNITARIAN CHURCH.—Rev. W. S. Barnes, Pastor.
Preaching at 10:30 A. M. by Rev. Mr. Eaton, of Winchester.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH.—Rev. C. L. Eastman, Pastor.
Preaching at 10:30 A. M. and 2:30 P. M. Sunday School at 12 M.
Prayer meeting at 7 P. M.

NORTH CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.—Rev. Leander Thompson, Pastor.
Preaching at 10:30 A. M. and 2:30 P. M. by the Pastor.
Sunday School at 12 M.
Prayer meeting at 7 P. M.

TRINITY CHURCH, EPISCOPAL.—Rev. C. A. Rand.
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In Woburn, Aug. 6, by Rev. J. Qualey, Edward Foley of Woburn, and Catherine Hamell of Lynn. In Woburn, Aug. 12, by Rev. Mr. Thomas Garrison and Bridget McHugh, all of Woburn.

In Woburn, Aug. 17, by Rev. J. Qualey. Thomas McHugh and Bridget McHugh, all of Woburn.

In Winchester, Aug. 15, by Rev. R. McHugh, Clus. W. Edgecumbe and Nellie E. Steggles, both of Woburn.

Died.

In Woburn, Aug. 11, Bridget Ellen, daughter of Patrick and Elizabeth McHugh, aged 3 years 6 mos. Aug. 12, John son of Martin and Bridget Connelly, aged 12 years.

Aug. 12, Margaret, daughter of James and Catherine Connelly, aged 10 years.

Aug. 12, Lizzie, daughter of Michael and Alice Noon, aged 3 months, 13 days.

Aug. 14, William, son of Charles and Margaret Tolson, aged 10 years.

In Woburn, Aug. 17, Jonathan Gould, of Woburn, aged 45 years. Funeral at Ellwood, N. H. Cars leave Boston for that place at 7 A. M. Sunday.

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In Woburn, Aug. 6, by Rev. J. Qualey, Edward Foley of Woburn, and Catherine Hamell of Lynn. In Woburn, Aug. 12, by Rev. Mr. Thomas Garrison and Bridget McHugh, all of Woburn.

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COMMISSIONERS, to Dr. John B. Davis, of Woburn, and the County of Middlesex, and all other persons claiming any interest in about ten acres of land in Woburn, in three lots, about a warrant issued by me, have been seized in the execution of their process, to satisfy a judgment of the Superior Court of Middlesex, rendered on the 14th day of August, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-one, the value of which judgment, as far as I can ascertain, does not exceed twenty dollars. You are hereby required to appear before me, to satisfy the same, or to file a writ of execution for the same, in the Superior Court of Middlesex, on the 15th day of August, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-one, at two o'clock in the afternoon, at a certain place, with the premises a certain parcel of land, with the boundaries and corners thereof, to the satisfaction of the said Dr. John B. Davis, and the said Commissioner, and to satisfy the same, and to pay the same, in Woburn, in said County, this 15th day of August, in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-one.

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MILITARY HISTORY OF WOBURN.

WOBURN UNION GUARD.

CHAPTER XIV.—Continued.

The Union Guard was in command of Orderly Sergeant Bennett, Capt. Thompson and Lieut. Crane being prisoners, and Lieut. Davis on brigade staff. Sgt. Bennett reported at that time, only 32 men fit for duty. Sgt. Merriam and Corporal Bryant, Flagg and Newcomb were the only non-commissioned officers present, all the others being among the killed and wounded. Capt. Thompson died of his wounds at Baltimore on the 5th of August. He was wounded July 1st and taken to the hospital which his men were soon forced to abandon. He remained unattended for six days when he was taken to Libby prison. Here he remained until the 26th of July, when he was exchanged, and taken to Baltimore, where he died. The exposure of the field, and the mental suffering induced by the death of his son, shortened his own life.

The following extract is from a letter written by Orderly Sergeant Bennett, under date of July 8, to the Woburn *Advertiser*:

"At the battle of Gaines' Mill, the missing and wounded were as follows in our company:—

Lieut. John P. Crane, missing.

Sergt. R. M. Bennett, wounded in shoulder; gone East.

Sergt. J. Rundle, wounded in shoulder; gone East.

Sergt. J. Stratton, Jr., missing.

Corp. John L. Parker, "

" F. Thompson, "

" A Baker, missing; sick at the time of the fight.

Alva. Cotton, missing, probably wounded.

James Sheehan, missing, probably wounded.

Daniel Wright, missing.

William H. Shedd, missing.

Jos. H. Merriam, missing, supposed prisoner.

Herbert Staples, wounded, at present in camp with.

C. D. Williams, missing.

George Mortimer, missing.

Daniel Ryan, missing.

Kendall L. Flint, supposed to be missing; he was sick at the fight.

John Coffey, missing.

Wallace H. Gilbert, missing.

Martin J. Griffin, wounded in the neck; sailed for the East.

Daniel W. Larabee, slight wound in the back; he is in camp.

Corporal Charles W. Lunt, buck shot in chin; he is in camp.

Since the battle of Gaines' Mills, there has been another severe engagement, which is called the battle of Malvern, fought on Malvern's farm, during which Capt. S. I. Thompson was wounded twice. One ball hit him in the back, the other in the ankle; he was taken to the hospital, and has not been heard from since.

Corporal Joseph Simonds, shot down in the leg, while marching in line of battle towards the enemy; he is in the hospital.

Patrick Sullivan, shot through the hand; he is in camp with us.

All others are accounted for. We have for duty now in the regiment, only 203 enlisted men. We have 4 captains and 3 lieutenants in the regiment; of said 4 captains and 3 lieutenants, 1 captain and 1 lieutenant have resigned, leaving 3 captains and 2 lieutenants in the regiment. All staff officers are killed or wounded or taken prisoners, so you may judge what a hard time we have had of it."

The peninsula campaign was a disastrous one to the whole country, and the Union Guard which took the field with 104 men in October, was now in nine months reduced to 32. We shall leave them at Harrison's Landing, where the army was recruited in numbers and in morale, preparatory to another campaign.

(To be continued.)

CLEANLINESS OF THE TEETH.—Most people will become highly indignant, if told, they do not know how to brush their teeth to keep them clean. A little attention is paid to this matter. Parents give their children a tooth-brush, not fit to be used in any mouth, and tell them to brush their teeth, without a word of direction to how it should be done, and they, the dear innocents, finding that the stiff bristles scratch their tender gums, brush gingerly over the ends of the teeth, and then, when they get a stick of candy which pays them for this laborious effort. If the teeth should decay, after all this outlay of time and candy, it must be of course an affliction dispensation of Divine Providence.

I have not a word to say against the right kind of brushes properly used, but only against the very stiff and lumber bristles, which serve but to collect the food between the teeth, where it soon ferments, eliminating an acid, and destroying the teeth. A stiff brush will naturally be kept away from the margins of the gums, where the most cleaning is needed, because it gives pain and brings blood, in spite of all care, the stiff bristles will scratch the tender gum, and, under the free edges of the gums, keep them separated from the necks of the teeth, thereby forming a receptacle for the lodgment of food, and by the inflammation thus induced, cause an exudate of acid mucus, serving to produce caries. Where an astringent, soap or powder is employed, the evil effects are not so much from the margin of the teeth, as nothing of the kind. Again, if a person is in vigorous health, with the secretions of the mouth in a normal condition, a hard brush would be less objectionable; but the majority of people are not thus blessed. I hold that for most people a soft brush is best, which can be used vigorously over the teeth and gums, and which may be used so gently, that the food is in between the teeth, thereby throwing out the food. Floss and silk or a rubber string passed between the teeth will remove a portion of the food left by the brush. In connection with the tooth-brush a good article of tooth-powder should be used containing, among other things, an alkali such as Castle soap or chalk.

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news of the late disaster on the Maine Central Railroad. An opportunity was offered those who wished to visit Oldtown, where the remnant of the Penobscot tribe of Indians have their settlement. Many improved this, to the satisfaction of the red men, no doubt, if one could judge by the exchange of greenbacks for baskets, bows and arrows, with other specimens of Indian manufacture. Belfast was next called upon, then Rockland, famous for its lime-kilns and dust, whence back again to Portland. At evening, this being the last before leaving the boat on the morrow, the Germans gave a concert on stringed instruments, interspersed with songs, speeches and a owing of complimentary resolutions, making it altogether the most enjoyable of the trip. Wednesday morning, after service, conducted by Rev. Mr. Bulard, and the singing of "Auld Lang Syne" and "Home Again," Mr. Peckham's large family bid each other "good bye," and returned to their homes, thankful that Neptune, that inexorable old tyrant, had dealt so forbearingly with them, that no accident had befallen them by the way. Many thanks to the officers of the boat for their gentlemanly bearing toward the party, and all were grateful to the managers of the excursion for the generous and satisfactory manner in which they carried out all they promised in their programme.

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No services.

8TH JEWELIAN CHURCH—No services.

SOCIETY DIRECTORY.

Mr. Henry Louis, F. A. M., meets in "Mass Hall," 11th Street, Building, on the first Wednesday of every month.

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BURBANK ENCLAVE, Post 33, G. A. R., meets in "Burbank Hall," on every Thursday in the month of August.

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JOHN JOHNSON, Secretary.

Woburn, August 30th, 1871.

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E. F. POOLE,
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The undersigned have this day formed a partnership under the firm name of Thompson & Mann, for the purpose of continuing the business at the old stand of Poole, Mann, & Co., 141 Main Street.

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A true copy. Attest,

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Married

In Woburn, Aug. 23, by Rev. C. L. Eastman, Fredrick D. Merrill and Miss Emma F. Stevens.

In Woburn, Aug. 21, by Sherman Converse, Esq., of Reading, and Martha E. Stowers, of Woburn.

Died.

In Woburn, Aug. 18, John McDevitt, aged 28 years.

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RAILROAD MURDERS.

The accounts of the horrible disasters in distant places give a momentary satisfaction, but when a dreadful casualty occurs at our very doors it seems the most terrible thing in the world. The murder of thirty persons and the wounding of seventy others at Revere last Saturday evening was a horrible instance of the utter disregard of human life, which exists among railroad managers. An overloaded train is started half an hour late, moves off at the rate of twenty miles an hour, and is followed in fifteen minutes by a train which runs forty-five miles an hour. Being delayed at a junction, the forward train had only gone six miles when it was run into by the following train. Had there been no delay, it would have been only a race for life with every advantage in favor of the through train, which driven in the reckless manner testified to at the instant was sure to catch the train before it could leave the main track at Salem.

Mr. Phillips said at Swampscott the people were to blame for making such demands of the railroads that to accede to them they must disregard human life. But that is not correct. The public does not make unreasonable demands of the railroads. They have a right to demand that trains shall start on time; that seats shall be provided for all passengers; that trains shall move rapidly as well as safely. These demands are all reasonable. To meet them requires coolness, judgment and executive skill, plenty of rolling stock, thoroughly built roads, and faithful employees. We have a right to demand that these conditions shall be met, because we give the railroads unusual rights. Rights which if properly used give wealth and influence to the corporations, so that they soon have small opinions of the rights of others and because entirely regardless of individual life.

The question who is to blame for the recent murders at Revere will be solved by the coroner's jury. What shall be done with him is a question that interests the public. If we have laws which touch this case let them be applied; if not, public sentiment must be kept alive on this matter until provision can be made. In no other way will the system of wholesale slaughter be abolished than by holding the guilty one strictly responsible for the loss of life. Then, and not till then, will railroads give us what they advertise—speed, comfort, and safety.

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ALMOST DROWNED.—On Friday last, at Revere, had a sort of premonition of his death. A gentleman of this town relates to us that on a recent trip to the West he occupied the same car with Dr. Mason. At one point on the route the train ran at the speed of 11:15. Dr. Mason was very much disturbed by the circumstances, and his nervousness causing remark, he asked our informant if he had ever been on a train which had met with disaster, and on being assured to the contrary, replied "If you had, you would feel as I do." It is also stated that he expressed reluctance about going to Beverly and regretted making the exchange, and he finally took the fatal train with a feeling that one might be supposed to have gone to his death.

HOME FROM SEA.—Mr. James Barrett returned on Sunday from a whaling voyage. He has been absent sixteen months, and during that time has experienced all the usual vicissitudes of a sailor's life.

NEW MUSIC.—We have received from Mr. Howard E. Strout, of 202 Main street, was on the Pullman train which ran into the Beverly train last Saturday evening. He states that the shock was hardly felt in the smoking car, in which he was sitting, and his attention was attracted by the whistle, and the baggagemaster, Rose, springing to the platform. Owing to the platform being dashed up, the passengers were several minutes getting out of the car, but all were unharmed. After a delay of four hours the Pullman train proceeded.

WHIFFLETREE BROKE.—On Monday as T. R. Corbett's lumber wagon was being driven up Main street, the whiffletree broke, and the horse became frightened, making it lively for those who, seeing the accident, went to the assistance of the driver. Fortunately it occurred where there was plenty of help, or the accident would have been a serious one.

OLD MAIDS.—In the town of Amherst N. H., as we are informed by a friend who recently walked into the place, out of 1500 inhabitants there are 44 old maids all of whom are wealthy. Brother Boylston, please tell us in the Cabinet why is that? that is, why are they maidens?

A GOOD SIGN.—That one on the corner of Main and Railroad streets, where Mr. Freeman is selling so many Singer Sewing Machines.

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DEATH AT THE HOUSE OF CORRECTION.—Cornelius Dawn, an old man over seventy years of age, died at the House of Correction at an early hour Tuesday morning. He was familiarly known to the frequenters of the institution by the name of "Old Jimmy." He has served out a large number of terms of imprisonment, mostly for vagrancy and drunkenness, but for the last two years he has lived at the prison and rendered himself very useful, doing light work and going of errands for the officers and inmates. His death was caused by dropsy. One of the duties he frequently performed for prisoners was to hunt up bail, and it is not long since he was in Woburn on such an errand.

LARGE FAMILIES.—An Illinois Agricultural Society having offered a premium of \$10 each for the handsomest boy and girl babies, a young farmer writing to the Boston Journal, objects to the baby show and horse race business, and suggests that "if they could offer a good premium for healthy children, or for the most numerous family of them, they might do some good, for it has got to that pass that many seem to consider it a disgrace to have children at all, or to bring them up without the aid of a doctor. The American women seem to think that robust health for themselves and their children lowers them in the social scale."

IMPROVEMENTS.—Mr. A. Cummings has leased the ground now covered by Little's store, and will immediately erect a 2 1/2 story building 21x50, the lower story to be used as a store, the upper stories as a manufactory. Mr. T. R. Corbett is to do the work. A new front is being put on Mrs. Lockyer's store. Mr. Corbett is also putting up on Plympton Street for Mrs. Young, a two-story house 22x28, L 12x12.

STRAWBERRIES.—Mr. John W. Plummett of East Cambridge, called at our office the other day with a large cluster of very luscious strawberries, which he had just picked at his father's garden on Pleasant street, in this town. They were very acceptable.

COUNTY MATTERS.

Winchester Correspondence.

SAVINGS BANK.—The Savings Bank commenced operations last Saturday afternoon, under very favorable auspices. The amount received on deposit that day was \$11,000.00, ranging in sums from one dollar and upwards, and from seventy depositors. The bank is located in the building at the junction of Main Street, and the railroad opposite to Mr. Sander-son's store.

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G. A. R.—POST 33 held a full and enthusiastic meeting on Thursday evening and voted to attend the laying the cornerstone of the Soldiers' monument in Boston, on the 18th inst.

RELIGIOUS SERVICES.—A delegation of some fifteen or twenty from the Young Men's Christian Association of Lowell, are expected to conduct services at the church in Burlington, at the request of Rev. Mr. Hudson, on Sunday (the 22nd), at 7 P. M. The delegation will be under the charge of Mr. P. Burnham, an active Christian worker, and N. W. Frye, Esq., well known in this vicinity.

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reputation for enforcing the laws put into my hands to enforce, why, I can't get somebody else that has. (Applause.)

Now, I am going to talk to you just as I talk to my friends at home. Isn't this a fair way of stating it? Isn't it a fair way of putting it? You liquor men, if you believe the prohibitory law is the sentinel of the Commonwealth, don't you want to find out where the sentinel is? The liquor law is the sentinel of the Commonwealth, don't you want to find that out? Don't we all want this law taken away from being a foot-ball of politics? Therefore, my friends, I can answer you on that question. I shall, if I ever have an opportunity, enforce the prohibitory law, until the people of the Commonwealth, that the liquor interests, say, "We shall not be the law any longer;" and when I enforce it, it will be done as impartially as I distribute my favors among the editors of the newspapers. (Laughter and applause.)

NEW PUBLICATIONS.

OLD CURIOSITY SHOP for September is very good, and is well worth ten cents. The yearly price is \$1.00. Call for it at Horton's.

MURRAY MUSEUM is better to-day than ever, and all through the last thirty years has been considered the best of the magazines. The September number is unusually good, and we advise our young friends to read it.

AMERICAN AGRICULTURIST.—The September number is at hand, and if our road makers will read page 330 how they do it in Quiddetton, it will do them and us a heap of good. The other articles are first class, and the magazine all we could ask for.

THE MANUFACTURER AND BUILDER for September, has a very readable article on the Westfield boiler explosion, and another on the great dam across the Housatonic. Subscriptions only \$1.50 a year.

We have received a pamphlet containing an account of the Shoe and Leather Plate at Haverhill. It is issued from the Shoe and Leather Record press in a very neat form.

The September Folio, edited by Dexter Smith, is upon our table. It contains an article on the "Folio," "Please Let My Brother Go!" (by the authors of "Put Me in My Little Bed!"), "also the 'Mountain of Ice March,'" by H. J. Bennett, together with a fine portrait of Jenny Lind. The reading matter is as interesting as usual. George Lowell Austin's story, "Lounette and the Wooden Shoe" being concluded in the October number. The author of "Eph. Mappins" contributes a funny sketch, and there are several original poems by well-known writers. The Folio is a marvel of cheapness, being sold by all news-dealers at ten cents a copy. It is published by White, Smith & Perry, Boston, at one dollar a year.

JUSTICE CONVERSES' COURT.

25th. Thomas Ryan for assault on his wife was fined \$3 and costs.

26th. Owen J. McNulty for an assault on his mother, was fined \$5 and costs.

30th. John McCarty for a single drunk was fined \$3 and costs, failing to pay he was committed to House of Correction.

31st. Michael Welsh for keeping liquor with intent to sell was fined \$10 and costs. John B. Davis for illegally transporting liquor was fined \$20 and costs.

ECONOMICAL DRAINAGE.—H. Conn & Co, have at their tannery the most perfect and economical system of drainage of any in Woburn, and entirely free from the objectionable smell of ammonia. All the wash and filth from the tannery house, tannery and currying shop, is carried off through covered drains into a large receptacle or reservoir, where the water evaporates and the residue is saved for manure. It has cost a little short of \$200 to perfect this system of drainage, and they have taken out some thirty cords of ammonia, at three dollars a cord, besides eighty loads that have been upon some grass ground near by. Thus they have saved from the refuse of their shop more than enough to cover all the expense they have incurred. We certainly think there is inducement enough in the great saving made, to cause others of our tannery and curriers to adopt the system. Inquire of Mr. H. Conn & Co., and they remove all doubt concerning their complaint on the part of our friends in Charlestown, who now drink the diluted drainings of most of our tanneries, and also relieve the brooks of their freight of filth, and cleanse them from their foul and pestilential odors. Because the old fables of the past, down all their drainings, were not true. There is no reason that men of our day should follow in their footsteps, when all the waste matter can be so readily utilized and made a source of income.—Advertiser.

HOW MANY SUFFER constantly, in some form, the maladies that result from the errors of youth, and the want of knowledge of the importance to sound and vigorous health so necessary to physical and mental enjoyment. Such cases, in our estimation, are not to be met with in any of the medical Institutes, Boston, setting forth the character of the disease, and the name of the author of it, or "Self-Preservation," will guide those who are afflicted with the consequences of youthful indiscretions, to the best means of regaining health and vigor. "Sexual Physiology of Woman and her Diseases," will guard and guide the female sex by its author's teachings.

SUNDAY SERVICES—TOMORROW.

First CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.—Rev. S. R. Denison, Pastor.

Preaching at 10:30 A. M., by the Rev. Josiah Tyler from South Africa.

Sunday School at 12 M.

Communion service at 2:30 P. M.

Missionary Concert at 7 P. M.

INDEPENDENT BAPTIST CHURCH.—Services at 10:30 A. M., by Elder Campbell, from Maine.

UNITARIAN CHURCH.—Rev. W. S. Barnes, Pastor.

Preaching at 10:30 A. M., Sunday School at 12 M.

Communion service at 2:30 P. M.

METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH.—Rev. C. L. Eastman, Pastor.

Sunday School at 12 M.

Communion service at 2:30 P. M.

Prayer meeting at 7 P. M.

NORTH CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.—Rev. Leander D. Parker, Pastor.

Preaching at 10:30 A. M., by the Pastor.

Sunday School at 12 M.

Communion service at 2:30 P. M.

Missionary Concert at 7:10 P. M., conducted by the pastor.

NEW JERSEY CHURCH.—No Pastor.

Services at 11:15 A. M.

Sabbath School at 12 M.

SOCIETY DIRECTORY.

Mr. HOWES, F. & A. M., meets in "Masonic Hall," Building on the first Wednesday of every month.

Mr. HOWES' ARCH CHAPLERS meets in "Masonic Hall," Building on the fourth Wednesday of every month.

YOUNG MEN'S LITERARY ASSOCIATION, meet at their rooms on Union Street, on Monday evening of each week.

MISISONARY CLUB, meet at their room in Bank Block every other Thursday in the month at 8 o'clock.

WOBURN ENCAMPMENT, Post 33, G. A. R., meets in "Bank Hall," on every Thursday in the week, and the last Saturday in the month, at 7:30 P. M.

ST. CECILIA, meet at St. Cecilia's Hall on the first Monday of every month, at 7:30 P. M.

MISISONARY CLUB, S. of T., meets at Bank Hall on every Tuesday evening of the week at 7:30 P. M.

ABRAHAM LINCOLN ASSOCIATION, G. S. B., meets in "Bank Hall," on every Monday evening in the week at 7:30 P. M., and every Wednesday evening in the week at 7:30 P. M.

THE ASCENT ORDER OF HOMMERSAMS meet in Bank Hall on the first and third Tuesday in the month.

WOBURN LODGE, No. 106, I. O. O. F., meet at 172 Main Street, on Tuesday evening of each week, at 7:30 P. M.

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MILITARY HISTORY OF WOBURN.
WOBURN NATIONAL RANGERS.
CHAPTER XIII.

On the Fourth of July, 1862, and the second year of the war, the President of the United States issued a call for 300,000 volunteers for three years, or to the close of the war. On the 7th of July, a General Order was issued by Gov. Andrew, in which it was stated that "a call had been made upon the Governor of this Commonwealth, by the President of the United States, for 15,000 volunteers to form new regiments and to fill the ranks of those from this Commonwealth, now at the seat of war." Under this call a table was prepared by the Adj't Gen., showing the proportion each city and town was to bear in making up the quota of the State.

To Woburn, as its quota, was given the duty of raising 96 men. This call came upon us, when the aspect of affairs at the seat of war were of a peculiar nature. While Gen. Butler held possession of New Orleans, and Gen. Grant was slowly but surely pushing the enemy into the Gulf States in the West, in the East, Gen. Banks had been driven out of the Shenandoah Valley, towards Washington, which necessitated the calling out of the militia of the several States, but which happily not needed, the noble Army of the Potomac after a series of terrible battles, in which it was beaten, though not conquered, was recruiting at Harrison's Landing, preparing for glorious victory on other bloody fields. The immense losses of that army was felt severely in this State, and the town of Woburn was not spared in the general affliction. Yet in spite of these apparent drawbacks, recruiting was never so active, and it seemed that these reverses only tended to infuse more determination into the hearts of the people to put down the Rebellion. Each town and city vied with one another in filling their respective quotas, and generally business was suspended on the afternoons of each day. In fact every one, men, women and children, entered into the patriotic work, and in the short period of eight weeks, Sept. 8, 1862, fifteen thousand men were recruited, equipped, and sent to the front, consisting of nine full regiments of Infantry, two Batteries of Artillery, together with over 4000 men sent forward to fill the old regiments in the field.

In order to facilitate recruiting, the following inducements were extended by the General Government, embodied in the following order.

1st. A premium of \$2 for every accepted recruit that volunteers for three years or during the war, to the pay of volunteering.

2d. Every recruit for three years or the war, may receive his month's pay in advance upon the musterling of his company into service.

3d. A bounty of \$25 is paid to each recruit for three years or the war, payable on mustering into service.

4th. At the expiration of his term of enlistment, he will receive a discharge from service, each volunteer will be entitled to \$75 in addition to his pay. In case of his death from disease, or in the field, the same will be paid to his family.

As more strictly in the province of this work, the steps taken by Woburn in filling its quota, will now be taken up, and which properly commences the "History of Co. K."

In compliance with the request of the Governor, the Selectmen of Woburn issued a call for a Union meeting to be held at Town Hall, on Saturday evening July 12, 1862, and in response thereto, the hall was filled to overflowing. The business before the meeting was "to consider what should be done by the town in reference to the new call for troops." John Cummings Jr., was chosen Chairman, and Nathan Wyman, Clerk. It was voted to give each volunteer \$100 who should enlist from this town. A recruiting Committee of 15 was chosen, to procure enlistments, and if possible the formation of a full company from Woburn, consisting as follows: A. J. Parker, E. N. Blaikie, Joseph Kelley, J. E. Littlefield, T. F. Warland, Wm. B. Harris, John Gilcreast, L. W. Perham, W. A. Colgate, Wm. Tolman, Charles Choute, M. A. Tyler, J. D. Taylor, S. O. Pollard, and John L. Richardson. A Town Warrant was also issued for a meeting to be held on Thursday, July 24th, among the articles of which were the following:

Art. 1. To see what bounty if any, the Town will pay the men who volunteer to make up the quota of men called for by the late order of the Governor of the Commonwealth.

Art. 2. To see if the Town will authorize the Treasurer to hire men under the direction of the Selectmen for the payment of any bounty which the Town may vote to pay the men who enlist to make up the proportion called for from the Town.

In the meantime, the Recruiting Committee of 15 had procured the necessary papers and had opened a recruiting office in upper Lyceum Hall. On Tuesday, July 15th, 1862, the enlistment papers were opened for signatures, and the following names were at once obtained: L. F. Wyman, S. Richardson, Jr., Chas. K. Conn. The office was open day and evening, but enlistments were few, and up to Tuesday evening, at which time the first Rallying Meeting was held under the direction of the Recruiting Committee, in Lyceum Hall, only ten additional names were obtained, making 13 in all, as follows: J. F. Leslie, W. H. Jones, Jere Crowley, A. S. Leslie, A. D. Carpenter, W. P. Brown, T. M. Parker, M. B. Baldwin, A. P. Barrett, Irving Foster.

On Thursday afternoon, the Town Meeting previously called was held, and the following action was taken upon the articles before mentioned.

Art. 2. Voted, That the Town of Woburn will give each person who may enlist to make up the quota of men called for by the Governor, or to make a full company of one hundred and one men, \$125 each, as soon as they were sworn into the United States service.

Art. 3. Voted, That the Treasurer be authorized to hire money to pay the proposed bounty.

(To be continued.)

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THE EDITOR'S GUESTS.

BY WM. M. CARLETON.

WOBURN, MASS., SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 9, 1871.

No. 51.

WHAT THE CHILDREN DID.

The bell at the factory struck twelve.

The children were scattered, the boys

dashing pell-mell, and the girls laughing

and chattering in the clover-room.

In the court below, a boy was mounted

upon a push cart. He was a pale

little fellow of twelve years, with hair

neatly combed, clear dress, bright eyes

and honest face. He was generally

known in the factory as thoughtful Master

Talbot.

"How this, boys and girls!" he cried,

"in this way! have something to say to

the world."

The widow was overpowered.

She covered her face with her hands and wept.

"O, Lord, I thank thee!" she mur-

mured.

"Good friend," said he, "can you tell

me the name of the gentleman who owns

the beautiful house with flowers in the window?"

The man understood exactly as

much of German as our little master did

of Dutch, namely, nothing at all; and,

besides, he was in a hurry, so he answered shortly and snappishly, "Kamitzerstan."

"O, Mrs. Parker, come and look!

"It's a strike, I tell you!"

"It's a strike, I tell you!" said still an-

other.

"Will you please listen to me?" said

Master Talbot.

"Be quiet boy!" cried a bevy girls re-

plying.

"I used to remember little Eliza Parker,

don't you?" asked Master Talbot.

"She used to tend the flock for lanky Joe

Sergottins. Well, she is dead. She died

at buried day after to-morrow. She was

a dear, sweet little thing. So trusting,

so uncomplaining. Didn't we all like

her? I propose that we attend her funeral

in a body."

"How are we to get off?" asked one

of the boys.

"We can get up a petition," answered

Talbot.

"How would it do to appoint a com-

mittee to wait on the proprietor of the

mill?" suggested Jimmy Lawrence.

"That's it! that's it!" echoed half a

dozen voices.

"I suppose that a committee of five be ap-

pointed," said Aggie Burns, one of the older girls.

The motion was immediately seconded.

"Am I president of this meeting?" asked Master Talbot.

"In course you is," said Dick A'Allister.

His gramma was bad, but his heart was

in the right place.

"I suppose," said a little fellow, threatening

his hand far into his breeches

pockets. His call and attitude raised a loud laugh. The former, though par-

ticularly in form, was somewhat premature,

while the latter was comical enough to

make the girls burst into a roar.

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of the boys.

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MILITARY HISTORY OF WOBURN.
WOBURN NATIONAL RANGERS.
CHAPTER XIII.

The first Grand Rally was held in Lyceum Hall, Thursday evening, July 24th. After a collation in upper Lyceum Hall, a procession was formed, consisting of recruits, citizens and Committees, and after marching through the principal streets, headed by the Lawrence Brass Band, it repaired to Lyceum Hall, which was already filled to overflowing. eloquent and successful speeches were made by C. C. Woodman, Esq., and Rev. Mr. Squires of Stoneham, and at the conclusion of the meeting 37 names had been obtained, making 50 in all, as follows: Geo. E. Hooper, R. L. Bryant, Benj. Stevens, W. S. Wilson, Oscar Persons, J. I. Richardson, J. G. Dean, T. M. Parker, E. J. Houghton, Patrick Bradley, Sam. T. Hooper, Peter Parks, Jr., B. F. Warren, F. M. Bryant, C. J. Libby, Richard Lombard, Timothy Mahoney, Thomas Coy, J. H. Dean, L. R. Tidd, John Thornton, John Johnson 2d, Michael Avery, Joseph Harrison, Silas Wain, John S. Longfellow, Wm. P. Warren, Edwin Flagg, Wm. T. Barrett, Oren Sanborn, Asa Boutelle, Otis S. Harris, Orlando Crocker, J. B. Davis, F. Spokesfield, Henry Howard, C. L. Skinner.

On Tuesday evening another Rally was held at Lyceum Hall, preceded as before, by a procession through the principal streets. Speeches were made by Judge Russell, of Boston, Capt. J. C. Wyman, of the 33d Regt., C. C. Woodman, Esq., and Rev. Mr. Squires, of Stoneham. During the evening different sums were offered to those who would enlist, among which was the sum of five dollars given by our oldest citizens, Dea. Jesse Converse who made a few remarks in a feeble though patriotic voice. This was taken by Lt. Wm. McDevitt. The meeting was a successful one, closing with the addition of 37 names to the roll, making 87 in all, as follows: Wm. H. Hoskins, A. H. Richardson, Wm. Choate, John Riley, Timothy Sheehan, W. B. Parker, George Powers, Sylvester Murray, Chas. R. Boston, Peter Doherty, Henry Elliott, Wm. McDevitt, Freeman Colby, Newton Colby, Jones Bacon, David N. Gady, C. W. Linscott, W. E. Steigles, Wm. O'Brien, John Gilcrest, John Barry, Thomas Alaren, Patrick Callahan, Geo. Bancroft, Philip Doherty, John M. Shaw, Geo. F. Pollard, John Avery, Daniel Kennewell, John McCarthy, Chas. H. Johnson, A. R. Linscott, S. McFeeley, Henry Doherty, W. H. Lindsey, W. H. LeBaron, John Kenney.

Another Rally was held on Friday evening, Hall's Band in attendance, and the Hall filled to overflowing. Speeches were made by C. C. Woodman, Esq., A. Norton, Esq., of Winchester, and Capt. Geo. O. Brastow, of Somerville. A little past ten the last names to make the company full was signed, but to make up for possible future deficiencies, the roll was still kept open. The following names were obtained during the meeting and at the recruiting offices the next day, making 30 in addition, and the whole number 117: Chas. Linscott, Peter O'Brien, T. H. Bradley, T. W. Flint, Charles Bush, H. A. Abbott, S. H. Brown, Hugh Connally, M. D. Reed, William McKenna, James McFeeley, Noah Edgcomb, Thomas Marran, John Brannagan, John H. Dolan, Cyrus A. Eaton, Abijah Thompson, F. M. Smith, John Garrigan, A. B. Lovejoy, Albert Bancroft, C. T. Parks, Daniel Kelley, James Dooley, Daniel O'Leary, R. L. Towner, John A. Mead, Geo. E. Fowle, Parker Eaton, Thomas Ahern.

On Saturday evening, Aug. 2, a meeting of the volunteers was held at upper Lyceum Hall, under the direction of the Recruiting Committee, for the election of officers, and other business which might come before it. The election of officers resulted as follows: Captain, John L. Richardson, 1st Lieutenant, R. Tidd, 2d Lieutenant, James McFeeley.

The company adopted as its name, "Woburn National Rangers," which future events proved to be well bestowed.

Tuesday morning, Aug. 5th, the company assembled in Lyceum Hall, and, after a collation, under escort of the authorities and Fire Department, proceeded to Camp Stanton, Lynnfield, the rendezvous of recruits from Middlesex County, mustering 102 men.

Upon arrival in camp we found everything in confusion, volunteers marching in from all directions, it being estimated that from five hundred to a thousand were daily arriving, and, in consequence, no preparations had been made by the authorities for our reception. Finally tents were procured for a portion of the company, and we passed the first night in camp in anything but a peaceful frame of mind or body. Quite a number left for home, or provided themselves better quarters elsewhere. Rations were also non est, and for a day or two we depended upon the liberality of the citizens of Woburn, who forwarded large quantities of rations, not a small portion of which was out of the line of the Commissary Dept., and which with thankful hearts we did ample justice. We were soon, however, properly provided with suitable camp equipages, and then began to feel at home. Our camp was thronged with visitors from home, who never came empty-handed, and to few volunteers, was camp life more pleasant than to us. Every day, more or less men joined our company, for upon a second examination by the Surgeon, the first having been conducted by Dr. Harlow of Woburn, many failed to pass, and from the fact that many who signed the roll failed to report, it was found that twenty-three men were necessary to fill up the company to the maximum. This number, however, was soon obtained, the following named persons having enlisted: Joseph Garfield, A. G. Brown, John Chase, Jeremiah Cronan, Robert Curry, G. H. Dennett, J. P. Downing, Patrick Duffy, John Flynn, N. Ingerson, C. H. Kingsbury, J. P. Linscott, Hugh Murray, Ed. O'Donald, Owen O'Donald, R. F. Poole, Miles Rowland, J. H. Sheehan, O. A. Wilson, Chas. Scott, Loring Seales, A. T. Sawyer, James Wilson. The whole number of names on the roll was 140, out of which the number requisite to complete a full company of 101 men was obtained.

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DEMOCRATIC CONVENTION.

The Democratic State Convention met at Springfield, on Wednesday. Hon. Edward Avery, of Braintree, presided. John Quincy Adams was nominated for Governor by acclamation. A committee chosen to nominate candidates for the balance of the ticket, contained our friend, William Winn, Esq., of Burlington. The resolutions declare that the party is devoted to the principles of the Constitution; that it is in favor of the independence of the three co-ordinate branches of government; the third favors general amnesty; the fourth accepts the Constitution as amended; the fifth insists on the reserved rights of the States; the sixth demands a tariff for revenue only, and not for protection of industry; the seventh declares the difficulties of the poorer classes to be mainly due to the unjust currency system, the arbitrary and excessive taxation, and the great monopolies which have been inflicted upon us by the Republican party; the eighth calls for a reduction of the taxes; the ninth condemns the Prohibition Law; the tenth urges that a new and direct influence may be exerted by the community upon the railroads, through the Railroad Commissioners; the eleventh encourages and commands the candidates.

Hon. J. S. Abbott, of Lowell, C. G. Greene, of the Boston Post, George W. Gill, of Worcester, and G. M. Stearns, of Chicopee, were elected delegates to the National Convention.

The memorial of the Women's Suffrage Association, which was presented and referred to the committee on resolutions, was buried in the committee room. A similar fate attended a proposition from Mr. Anderson, of Oakham, recommending a Supreme Judicial Court of Nations, and a Supreme Judge of Indian Affairs.

The convention adopted the "new departure" without a struggle, but when the Young Democracy, taking courage from this, supposed they would also have the nominees, they were gently waved back, and the old stagers came to the front, as usual. The main hope of the party at this time seems to be, that by the dissensions of the Republicans, they may profit.

TIN WEDDING.—The friends of Mr. and Mrs. George H. Conn rallied in great force at their residence on Fowle street, last Monday evening, to celebrate their tenth anniversary of their marriage. The house and grounds were brilliantly illuminated with Chinese lanterns. Brown's Brigade Band were stationed near the house, and discoursed their sweet music. The presents covered the whole ground from the useful to the most ridiculous; among them was a T. D. pipe, three feet long, a mighty pen, tip and holder, a grater, which great men were urged to behold, sets of tin jewelry, a tin gavel, sword and square from Masonic friends, and utensils of every kind. In the lunch room, lemonade and cake was served, a sensible method of catering, by the way. The house was crowded until a late hour, and it was the most notable wedding that ever occurred in Woburn. Returning from Mr. Conn's, Brown's Band serenaded Captain E. F. Wyer.

DEMOCRATIC CAUCUS.—The Democrats of Woburn held a caucus at Town Hall, on Saturday evening. Edgar Merchant presided, and Rufus Pickering, Esq., was secretary. The following gentlemen were chosen delegates to the State Convention:—

Henry Taylor, T. J. Pierce, E. Merchant, Thomas Salmon, J. P. Crane.

The following delegates were chosen to the Senatorial, County and Councilor Conventions:—

A. E. Thompson, R. Pickering, Sherman Converse, John K. Doherty and J. Dexter Taylor.

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DARING ROBBERY.—Last Monday afternoon the house of Charles W. Wynn, on Mt. Pleasant St., was entered and robbed of clothing and other valuables. The thief entered by forcing the side door, and it is somewhat remarkable that he was not seen and his work interrupted.

UNROVER.—Last Friday afternoon, a horse hitched to a dirt cart, fell down in Wynn street, and the wheel of an empty cart which was following, passed over his neck. The horse survived, but had a stiff neck for a day or two.

VIEW.—We have received from Mr. D. G. Alexander, Photographer at Arlington, two stereoscopic views of the Unitarian and Orthodox Churches, which were chosen delegates to the State Convention:—

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EDWARD S. BANCROFT, of Woburn, a special officer appointed to take the care of the machine shop of the Lowell Railroad at East Cambridge, manifested violent symptoms of insanity. He was taken to the police station, and was examined by physicians, who have certified for his removal to the Worcester Insane Asylum.

YOUNG DRINKERS.—The officers arrested two boys on Friday last, one of whom was dead drunk, and the other could do nothing but talk. They were locked up over night, and then sent off with a reprimand. Our laws bearing on juvenile offenders ought to be overhauled.

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From here to where I'm going—Amsterdam.

That's where I live, you see. As for La Crosse—

It's not me, but I'm a man (or bust)—

Since I've been there its three years, certain, just;

And now to laugh or cry, is just a toss-up.

"O, you hateful. When we are going

just to please you. I know I will make him

and old Fannie is so poky. Why do you never let me drive Dick?"

"Because I won't risk my horse, nor

my wife, nor your own neck."

"Last, but not least, I hope. Well,

send along the team. The horse will be

hooked as well as the rest of the procession,

I suppose."

"It shall be here in twenty minutes,

and when you come down, call at the

store and get the bill. You will give

him the bill, which is received, when he

has paid it. And he must pay it before

he undoes the goods. Wrap up well, as

it is very cold. And don't hurry the

horse going over, because the load is

heavy and the roads are bad. Go

on, Kate! I'm rich, I'm rich!"

"I'm too good luck, this is last, I say;

And stronger, if it wasn't kind o' rash,

I'd let my bottom dollar that we smash

Before—pshaw! excuse me, I'll go slow.

You see, when we're married, Sis and I,

I was a good mechanic, and not poor.

Until I struck it, as I reckoned, sure,

In an invention I was working on.

"I could make went into that concern;

And people liked me crazy for it, too;

And said I'd better stick to what I know;

But folks tell talk, and have to live and learn.

In all this time I had but a friend,

But she stood by me nobly, through and through,

And said I'd come right out at last;

And said she'd work her fingers to the bone,

And live for twenty mortal years alone;

Rather than give it up—thank God, that's past!

"I'll drive her now." You see, but I say;

It's what I've got by going for it, now;

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MILITARY HISTORY OF WOBURN.

WOBURN NATIONAL RANGERS.

CHAPTER XII.

During the past few weeks the ladies of Woburn had been active in collecting subscriptions to procure a Company Flag, and they met with success. Accordingly the flag was presented with the intention of presenting it to the company in Woburn. But the near approach of our departure from the State, rendered it impossible for the Company to go to Woburn, so it was concluded to present it to them in camp. Therefore on Tuesday, Sept. 2, the ladies with their friends visited camp for that purpose. After remaining in camp some time in which the ladies were by no means idle, finding plenty to do in the sewing line, the company were drawn up in line by Lieutenant Tidd, to receive the flag. The presentation speech was well delivered by Miss Henrietta M. Young, being as follows:

"SOLDIERS OF THE NATIONAL RANGERS! Call me as you have been to leave the patriotic scenes of our country, and your friends, and to take upon your shoulders the garb and arms of soldiers, in defense of those principles, which alone can make our homes the abode of happiness. It seems to me that we cannot take up the weapons of the field, should show our appreciation of the patriotism and self devotion of those who have come forward to the help of our country in this hour of need; and what more fitting tribute can we bring than the banner, the emblem of our liberties, which we have so nobly defended at its birth in blood, and are now baptized on many a well contested field, till it retains its place in the affections of the people, free from stain or dishonor. In the name, therefore, of our country, and of our God, now present you this banner, and when in the hour of conflict, you see the flag of our country waving over you, may it bring back to your minds this scene, and the thoughts you left behind, and may those thoughts inspire you to deeds of noble daring, so that no reward will be brought upon our cause or our country, by any neglect of any duty on your part; and may the God of our Fathers, who has brought us out of many difficulties, ever be ready to the aid of our battles, and bring you safely to your home to enjoy the peace and prosperity which we believe he will in his own time give to this people!"

Upon concluding she passed the flag to Lieutenant Tidd, and, in the absence of the Captain, Lieutenant Wyman responded in an appropriate speech. With three cheers for the Ladies and "huzzah by the band," this pleasant occasion broke up, to be long remembered by all the participants. Upon our departure, the colors were returned to Woburn until our return, and are now in possession of the company, the names of all the engagements in which they served, being placed upon them.

During the rest of the week, we were busy receiving our uniforms and equipments, and otherwise preparing for the start. On Sunday, Mr. G. R. Gage, was in camp with the allotment roll, whereby any man could assign a portion of his pay to friends at home, which was signed by most of the men. Tuesday we received the \$20 advance bounty, and before we left camp the \$13 advance months pay; on the same day the Somerville company came into camp, having been encamped in that town, which filled up the regiment to the maximum.

On Friday we received orders to cook three days rations, and to leave camp on Saturday, Sept. 6, 1862, when everything was ready, and confusion. Knapsacks were packed and repacked with the idea of possibly crowding one more article into it, and when the work was complete it would be almost enough to crush a mule. One man, in particular of "K" after packing away every conceivable article into his knapsack completed his work by adding a complete chest of carpenter's tools; suffice it to say he soon disposed of his load altogether, together with all obligations to Uncle Sam, by obtaining his discharge. We were provided with the new Springfield rifle, probably the best muzzle loader in the world, and in truth, our complete outfit seemed to be the best of Government stores. Friday evening we held our first dress parade under command of Col. Davis, and the regiment in line reminded one most forcibly of an arc of a circle. We were up bright, and early to prepare for our march, and falling into line without any ceremony, took up our line of march for the cars, and after some delay we started for Boston, arriving about noon, at the Boston and Maine Depot. The regiment was soon disembarked, and at once proceeded across the city, to the Worcester R. R. Depot, hardly giving us time to bid farewell to our friends, assembled at the depot to meet us. The day was intensely hot and the men suffered considerably from heat and the heavy loads they had imposed upon themselves, but we all lived through it and were soon whirling out of Boston, amid the cheers and acclamations of thousands of citizens, on our way to do our part in putting down the rebellion. Before bringing this long chapter, and tedious as well, to a close it may not be inappropriate to make a few remarks in a general sense.

We left the State 97 strong, as in addition to our noble comrade, Duffy by name, two more left the company for the company's good, Jeremiah Cronan, bidding farewell at Boxford, and Owen O'Donnell at Boston. Doubtless, if caught, and tried by court martial, they would have been released, for "the good of the service." One of our men was left behind sick, who joined us soon after our arrival at the South.

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The Cattle Show.

On Wednesday and Thursday, the 77th annual show of the Middlesex Agricultural Society. We were present on Thursday, and were gratified to see so much interest manifested in the exhibition. The cattle sheds were well filled, and some of the herds were very fine.

We recognized some of the stock which was at the New England Fair, but it appeared much better at Concord.

The agricultural implements were shown out of doors, and all kinds of tools attracted the notice of the farmers. The show of poultry was good, and a person at all

subject to such attacks would inevitably take the hen fever after examining the cages. The show of fancy articles was not so large as we have seen. We wish this neighborhood would contribute more liberally to this department. It is now mainly confined to the vicinity of Concord. The prize bread looked very tempting, especially as it was placed beside some that was very ordinary. Mr. Cummings, the president, was a large contributor, and it seemed almost as if his gardens were transferred to the exhibition building. Miss Maria Carter had 312 named varieties of wild flowers.

The horses made a good show also.

In the first race on Wednesday, Stephen Dow, of Woburn, was one of the judges. In the second race, E. O. Soles drove "Neile S." On Thursday the second race, for double teams, was won by "Winchester Bay" and mate, owned by H. C. Cook of Winchester. Mr. Soles "Neile S." won the first heat at 2:50 race.

At half past one the annual dinner took place, after which their were speeches. The President John Cummings, Esq., welcomed the guests to the annual exhibition and introduced Col. Stone of Dedham, from the State Board of Agriculture.

He said this was the most perfect exhibition he had ever visited and congratulated the society on its success. Then Ralph Waldo Emerson, spoke of the satisfaction the exhibition had afforded him, and alluded to his recent visit to California where he had observed the agricultural beauties of that wonderful land.

Hon. M. P. Wilder, of the Mass. Hort. Society, then spoke of his labors in the advancement of horticulture, and that it was his mission to work for the promotion of these objects while he lived.

Expressed his surprise at witnessing the extensive exhibition, and believed it could not be exceeded. He spoke very pleasantly of the officers of the society, to whom this success was so mainly due.

The society, he said, now takes rank with the first societies of the country. He hoped it would go on prospering and to prosper, and so long as Lexington and Bunker Hill have a name in history, may this old society be perpetuated and honored.

Hon. George M. Brooks, of Concord, then made a witty speech on the advantages enjoyed by the farmers, and closed by suggesting to the trustees that they offer a prize for the best after dinner speech which shall be made in 2:40.

Some of the premiums were awarded to this section. J. R. Kendall took seven premiums for his Ayrshire herds. John Cummings took second for working oxen, second for family and matched horses, and one for pears. T. J. Pierce took second for family horses. John Cameron took first for best Holstein milk herds. Elijah Merriam, of Burlington, took the premium for vegetables and best pair of farm horses. James Smith took first for sows, and first for pigs. Isaiah Reed, Jr., took diploma and prize for best two year old colt.

Both days were fine, and the attendance very large, and the success of the exhibitions of this ancient society has come to be looked for with almost absolute certainty. The present one was the best that could be remembered by the most venerable visitor.

CRUELTY TO ANIMALS.—The Society for the prevention of cruelty to animals will hold a grand fair the two weeks following Thanksgiving. The ladies who are the committee for this town are Mrs. Timothy Wain, Mrs. Stephen D. W., Mrs. Chas. Choate, Mrs. J. C. Osgood, Mrs. C. L. Eastman, Mrs. J. C. Littlefield, Mrs. E. E. Thompson, North Woburn. All articles of produce intended for the fair can be left at the store of Cyrus Tay. In another column we print a communication entitled "Our Dumb Animals," which explains the matter more fully.

COMPLETE OUTFIT FOR BOYS.—Fanno at his new store, has inaugurated the system of clothing boys complete. Boys' Clothing, Habs and Caps, Boots and Shoes, Furnishing Goods, Corner Washington and Beach streets, Boston.

ANOTHER STORE.—Mr. W. R. Putnam has purchased the north half of Buel's Block, and will put up a one-story shop twelve feet front on the vacant lot between Burgess and Roundy.

Wards Web.—In Wey's window there is a gourd four feet and eight inches long, and in Whiteford's windows another, four feet and seven inches long. Both were raised by Mr. Thomas Richardson of Weymouth.

ACCIDENT.—On Wednesday afternoon a gentleman from Reading, whose name we did not learn, in driving away from the Post Office accidentally ran into a stone post, breaking a shaft and the wheel.

EXPLORATION.—About nine o'clock on Sunday evening, a lamp left burning in one of the rooms of Ralph's boarding house exploded. All but two of the boarders were out, for that reason it was not discovered at once. A person passing the house saw an unusual light at one of the windows, and gave the alarm. They forced their way into the room, and found the paper on the wall above the mantel-piece considerably scorched. The frames of two pictures were partially consumed. The flames were extinguished without giving any general alarm.

Mishawum Division Sons of Temperance.—The Sons of Temperance have chosen the following officers; installation text Tuesday evening: C. W. Dorr, W. P. F.; F. A. Bucknam, W. A.; John Morrison, R. S.; G. W. Fish, A. R. S.; Frank Merrill, F. S.; Russell Ellis, Treasurer; Oran Sanborn, Chaplain; Frank Leathie, Con.; James Dalton, A. C.; Nelson Gas, L. S.; G. W. Pollock, O. S.

ATTENTION CO.—Next Thursday afternoon at half past two, the annual re-union of the 22d Mass. Vols. takes place at the Parker House, Boston. All members of the Woburn Union Guard, or any others who served in the 5th Corps are invited to be present.

SMALL POX.—There is a case of this disease on Franklin street, near Wm. Look out for the red flag.

FIREMAN'S PARADE.

The annual parade of the Woburn Fire Department will take place Saturday afternoon, Sept. 30. The playing will be at the same place as last year, viz., at the reservoir at the west end of the Common. The first prize is the champion flag, which has been borne for the past year by Washington Engine Co., No. 3, of Cummingsville. By the terms of its acceptance last year, the flag is to be contented for annually, and will be carried another year by No. 3, if it shall prove superior to the other companies. The second prize is a silver fire trumpet, now on exhibition at Dodge's Fire Store, No. 174 Main Street. Steam Fire Engine Co. No. 1, will not contend for the prize this year.

Before the trials for the prizes the Department will parade. The line will form at 12 1/2 o'clock, in the following order: Steamer No. 1, Hose No. 1, Hook and Ladder No. 1, and Engine Co. 4, will form on Fairmount street, right resting on Main, Nos. 2 and 3 will form on Con- man street, right resting on Main. The foreman of each company will report at the Engineer's Office at 12 1/2 o'clock, and draw the number by which his company shall play at the trials. At precisely one o'clock, the procession, with the Arlington Band, will move up Main to Bedford street, counter-march to Pleasant, and then through Pleasant and Warren, to Main, to Railroad, down Union to Main, and to the corner of Pleasant street, and Converse place, one fourth of a mile from the reservoir at the foot of the Common. The contest for second prize will come off first. The following regulations will govern the trials:

A silver trumpet will be awarded to the band engine company running water through 250 feet of Woburn Fire Department leather hose in the shortest time, subject to the following rules:

1.—All the men who are to play with any company shall stand by with the apparatus, and be ready to play who did not make the run.

2.—The forward axletree of each apparatus shall be placed on the starting line.

3.—Companies will start in their turn, and play a gigue.

4.—Each company to run by itself in the order of the number drawn by its foreman.

5.—At this trial each company shall use its own hose.

6.—The prize in this trial will be the property of the company winning it.

The Champion Flag will be awarded to the band engine company playing the best horizontal stream through two hundred feet of hose furnished by the engineers. The following rules will govern this trial:

1.—Companies to play from reservoir at the foot of the Common in the order of the number drawn by its foreman.

2.—Ten minutes will be allowed for playing after getting ready, and five minutes to replace busted hose.

3.—Each company to choose its own nozzle.

4.—No water will be allowed in the tub.

5.—The company winning the flag will be entitled to the same as long as the company sustains the position of champion of the future annual meetings of the Department.

6.—Each company may select a judge to represent it while the trial is in progress, but the award of the prize will be made by three judges appointed by the engineers. This rule applies to both trials.

The prizes will be awarded at the close of the trial.

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